

THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO. 680.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1897.

ONE CENT.

A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF
Shot Guns and Rifles

Or all kinds for sale at

JACKSON'S GUN STORE,

108 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Michigan. Winchester repeating rifles all sizes at \$10, \$11 and \$12 each; see the old and new models. Quackenbush 22 calibre and other target guns; Winchester repeating shot gun, 6 shots, at \$17; one Parker Bros. double barrel shot gun, second-hand at \$30 and I have double barrel breech loading shot guns, both 10 and 12 gauge at \$7, \$8, \$11 and \$12 each; single barrel breech loaders, both new and second-hand at \$5, \$6 and \$7 each; muzzle loading shot guns at the lowest prices, loaded paper shells 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 25 cents per box. I have the "Quick" shot, Rivals and U. M. C. in large stock, so that you can be suited on shot sizes; a full and complete line of Winchester, Colts and Marlin rifle cartridges at winning prices; 25 different sizes of revolver cartridges. B. B. Roberts and Blanks, Laffin & Rand's shot gun; rifle and blasting powder, smokeless powder for rifles and shot guns; shot gun fixtures; brass shells, loaded and unloaded; buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns; cartridge belts and shell bags; hunting coats, vests and hats; canvas game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches; primers, snipe, turkey and duck calls; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder, bottle knives and knives for hunters, pasteboard and felt wads, waterproof and G. D. gun caps. All kinds of new and second-hand revolvers. My leaders are 22 center fire at \$1.50, 32 and 38 center fire at \$1.75. These guns are all of the Bull-dog pattern and they are all right. I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickel, 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down, shell ejector, 4 1/2 inch barrel, Smith & Wesson pattern for \$4. You can have a large stock of Iver Johnson, Harrington & Richardson to select from. And how is that for a leader on guns? Holders for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and Newhouse traps for trappers; compasses, boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, punching bags, foot balls, all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles.

All kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles to Rent by the Day or Week.

See my Marlin safety rifle of all sizes, air rifles and B. B. shot for air rifles, sling shots, rubbers and anything that will shoot, you will find it at Jackson's. One 7x7 and 1 7x9 wedge tents for sale cheap. If you have got a good rifle, shot gun or revolver and want to sell it I will buy it. I have a large Colt revolver, 45 size at \$5, a Remington large 44 at \$5.

Unredeemed Gold and Silver watches of All Kinds.

Seventy-seven solid gold rings, banjos, guitars and violins at 1/2 first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up on bargains. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods in Benton Harbor for 20 years. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. SECOND-HAND BOOKS WANTED. I do not handle school books. After November 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs, and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property, and I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck of all kinds for sale. I also cash the time checks of the Crouch Construction company.

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Dealer in Almost Everything.

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The Clothing
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We lead all others in our assortment of

Fine
Perfumes

Dr. Fabry's
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110 Water St.

STEAL FOILED!

Press Publishing Company Tries
to Mulct the County to the
Tune of \$16.50.

TWO BILLS FOR THE SAME WORK

Bill Allowed by Board of Supervisors
at June Session Is Allowed
at October Session.

The Press Publishing company, of St. Joseph, owner of the only daily newspaper in St. Joseph, has reached its grimy hand into the treasury of the county and attempted to withdraw therefrom \$16.50 of the county's funds. The act is regarded as a bold attempt to rob the taxpayers of the county and the plot was being successfully carried out when the vigilant eye of THE EVENING NEWS discovered the culprit.

At the June session of the board of supervisors the Press Publishing company presented a claim of \$16.50 which was as follows:

Jan. 21, 1,000 blks. Co. clerk.... \$5 00
Feb. 24, 500 notices to attorneys... 3 50
Feb. 24, 500 receipts..... 5 00

\$16 50

The bill was allowed, despite the exorbitant price charged for the work, and an order on the treasury for that amount was delivered to the claimants.

At the present session of the board a duplicate of the above bill came in. With a batch of others it went to the finance committee and later was reported with others to the board and allowed without the discovery being made that the bill had once been paid. In the June bill there was no item of the date of January 18. In the October bill a new item of \$1.50 was added to the bill paid in June. Following is the bill that was ordered paid on Tuesday:

Jan. 18, 200 blanks, E. P. Clark... \$ 1 50
Jan. 21, 1,000 blks, county clerk 8 00
Feb. 24, 500 notices to attorneys 3 50
Feb. 24, 500 blank receipts..... 5 00

\$18 00

The bill contains the same items, the same dates, the same amounts, and is like, in every particular, the bill allowed at the June session, with the exception that the \$1.50 item of January 18 is added. But for the discovery made today there is no telling in what magnified form the bill might come up at the next meeting of the board.

An order for the bill has not yet been issued and the discovery by THE NEWS of this attempt to fleece the county will lead to an investigation by the board, the result of which will be that the supervisors will very closely scrutinize and investigate all future bills that the Press may present against the county.

THE NEWS has conducted a careful examination of the record of the proceedings of the board and found the facts as above related.

THEY COMPROMISE.

Supervisors Agree on a School
Examiner After 32 Bal-
lots.

CONCESSIONS ON BOTH SIDES.

Democrats are Given Drain Com-
missioner in Exchange for
School Examiner.

Upon the thirty-second ballot the board of supervisors today elected D. J. Benson, a republican, school examiner. A total of 30 votes were cast, Benson receiving 19 and J. D. Carmody his democratic opponent, 11.

On the 31 ballot the vote was a tie. The entire morning until 11 o'clock was consumed in trying to arrive at a choice on school examiner. The thirty-first ballot was taken at 11 o'clock and resulted in a tie. A recess of 10 minutes was taken to effect a compromise. During that time Supervisor W. M. Baldwin, of Watervliet, the republican leader, and Supervisor William A. Kieth, of Sawyer, leading the democratic host, got together and patched up a truce. Kieth offered to concede school examiner if the republicans threw their support to the democratic candidate for county drain commissioner.

The proposition was agreed to with considerable reluctance by the republicans who held that the democrats ought willingly to concede to them the entire four offices—school examiner, county drain commissioner and two superintendents of the poor—in view of the fact that they had acquiesced in the selection of a democratic chairman of the board and had already conceded the naming of a democratic member of every com-

mittee appointed by the democratic presiding officer.

The democrats were reticent on this matter and awaited the decision of their opponents on Supervisor Kieth's proposition with patience. The republicans finally weakened and the board re-convened, the result of the conference being announced by Supervisor Kieth. The thirty-second ballot was taken with the result above stated. It was a nauseating pill for the republicans to swallow. Some were firm in the desire to wage the contest to the bitter end, regardless of the fact that every day's balloting took \$96 out of the county treasury, each supervisor receiving \$3 per day, and there are 32 of them.

With a democrat presiding over the deliberations of the board and a democrat at the head of every committee the republicans felt that their political opponents were asking more than courtesy and fairness entitled them to. They therefore surrendered in poor grace.

Eighteen ballots were taken this morning and 14 yesterday. During the balloting several unsuccessful attempts to defer the election were made. The equalization and finance committees were not delayed by the balloting. They continued with their labors, and the third ballot this morning showed a total of only 26, but it was a tie like all the rest. When a republican committeeman went to work he took a democrat member of the committee with him, leaving the two factions always equal.

If the democrats unite, as it is expected they will, the county will have a democratic drain commissioner as the result of this morning's pledges. Mr. Burbank, the present commissioner and a republican, is popular and if his name gets before the board as a candidate, a condition he much desires, there is a possibility of a bolt among the democrats, many of whom look kindly upon him. The office is one much sought after. Since the abolishment of the office of township commissioner, the salary has advanced to \$1,500 per year and among the democratic aspirants now being talked of by the supervisors are J. B. Nixon, of Lake township; Stephen Horner, and Frank Helm, of Oronoko, and H. G. Wagner, of Chickaming. The republicans, of course, have no candidates. They are pledged to support the democratic favorite. If he happens to be Burbank they will be happy.

The election of drain commissioner and two members of the board of poor superintendents will come up tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The same scheme that was worked on school examiner will probably be applied in selecting the superintendents of the poor.

The supervisors aren't doing a thing to the justices of the peace and constables who are so unlucky as to have claims against the county. A year ago the board decided by resolution to disallow all claims by justices for costs in the prosecution of "drunks" and the board is strictly adhering to the provisions of the resolution. Off of Justice Bacon's bill of \$7.50 was carved \$2.50; Justice Baldrey felt the force of the finance committee's knife to the extent of \$3.25; Justicks suffered a reduction of \$3 on a claim of \$5.80 and Constables Davis' bill was hewn down from \$8 to \$4. There was a disposition to disallow a claim of \$8 presented by Turnkey Lynn Ferguson for keeping guard over the "trusties" who worked on the court house lawn, the board having passed a resolution that the county prisoners should be worked, but it did not occur to the supervisors that it was worth compensation to watch them. The bill was referred back to the committee and will probably be allowed later.

Bills allowed:

John E. Bachman.....	\$ 13 30
Alfred Baldrey.....	13 02
John Vernon.....	6 50
Frank L. Hammond.....	7 90
David Bacon.....	7 50
Joshua Chatterton.....	1 50
Charles McLeod.....	3 00
Alfred Baldrey.....	38 75
Albert L. Putnam.....	14 40
John Umphrey.....	42 68
Alfred Baldrey.....	32 25
Barnes & Brown.....	3 50
Howard & Pearl.....	26 38
Leonard J. Merchant.....	122 25
Lowe & Rouse.....	60
Riesby & Smith.....	59 50
Ibbling Bros. & Everard.....	81 60
Mich. Telephone Co.....	20 50
Claus M. Shultz.....	7 40
Riesby & Smith.....	75 00
C. W. Whitehead.....	3 00
L. J. Merchant.....	9 25
W. W. Preston.....	59 26
Geo. M. Bell.....	5 00
Peter Baldwin.....	5 00
Rice Bros.....	80 48
Albert Zordel.....	2 05
John F. Duncan.....	26 74
Hone Bros.....	4 70
W. H. Bullard.....	15 52
W. S. Palm.....	5 70
Peter Hendrix.....	2 80
Charles E. Sabin.....	44 55
St. Joseph Iron Works.....	25 44
C. Schultz.....	4 15
James E. Davis.....	6 00
L. A. Ferguson.....	9 50
J. K. McCullough.....	3 15

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All
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Harry Bolland, 29, Niles; May
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Call and examine our \$25 wheels and
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took before. I am now well and happy."
Sold by J. C. Bell & Co., Druggists, Ben-
ton Harbor, Mich.

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SPECIAL SALE OF
DRESS . GOODS

..GROCERY DEPARTMENT..

9 bars Santa Claus Soap.....	.25	10 lbs Rolled Oats.....	.25
9 bars Jaxon Soap.....	.25	4 cans Boston Baked Beans.....	.25
9 bars Queen Anne Soap.....	.25	4 cans Tomatoes.....	.25
9 bars Armour Soap.....	.25	3 packages Matchless.....	.25
11 bars Calumet Soap.....	.25	3 boxes Buttermilk Soap.....	.25
Costal Soap, 4c a bar, 7 bars.....	.25	1 lb. Delicatise Baking Powder.....	.10
Bird Seed, package.....	.15	1 lb. Calumet Baking Powder.....	.10
Fairbanks' Gold Dust.....	.15	1 pint French Bluing.....	.10
12 1/2 lbs. Corn Meal.....	.12	7 lbs. Laundry Starch.....	.10
Lion or XXXX Coffee.....	.12	1 lb. Corn Starch.....	.10
Colo. Rio Coffee.....	.12	3 cans extra fine Salmon.....	.25
Armour Family Lard.....	.10	3 cans Cove Oysters.....	.25
6 lbs. Butter Crackers.....	.25	1 lb. Shredded Coconut.....	.18
5 lbs. Good Rice.....	.25	1 lb. Selected Currants.....	.18
Sweet Chocolate.....	.10	5 Rising Sun Stove Polish.....	.10
Bakers' Chocolate.....	.10		

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Our line of Fall and Winter Jackets
and Capes beats anything ever shown
in the city before for price, style and
workmanship. It will pay you to call
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in the business we can assure the public of better service
than any two-penny concerns that make up in price what
they lack in facilities and knowledge of the business.
If you are not particular what kind of work you have done
take it MOST ANY OLD PLACE but if you want the best
go to the

City Steam Laundry
135 East Main Street.

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ONE CENT.

COLLEGE FACULTY.

The New Members Were Welcomed Last Evening by a Gathering of Citizens.

THE EDUCATORS ENTERTAINED.

The Seniors Spring an Agreeable Surprise Upon the Faculty and President Edgumbe.

A large number of the representative people of this city and St. Joseph gathered at Benton Harbor college last evening to welcome the new members of the college faculty.

More changes were made in the faculty this year than has occurred in many years and among the new instructors were many strangers. There are no strangers among them now for Benton Harbor folk know how to make the stranger feel at home, and they exercised that gift last evening.

The new members of the corps of instructors are: Miss Mericle, the elocutionist; Miss Collins, the piano instructor; Miss Mack, art; Miss Belle Bailey, English; Miss Brown, Latin; and Graff Clark, teacher of violin. After the educators had received their guests a short program of unusual merit was rendered. Miss Collins played a classic selection on the piano and as always her fine expression and faultless rendition brought forth unstinted praise. Graff Clark, the new teacher on the violin, a pupil of Eugen Boegner appeared for the first time before a Benton Harbor audience. If he is permanently retained at the college the music department will be strengthened and made more popular than even at present.

Miss Mericle, the instructor in elocution, gave a pathetic reading, and her voice, her expression, her grace and gestures fairly captivated every listener. Twice she responded to an encore, and every time she was greeted with increased expression of approval. The program closed with a solo by Mrs. Webb, the vocal instructor of the college, who is always a favorite.

Dr. Edgumbe, the president of the college, at the close of the program announced that the seniors had prepared a surprise on the faculty and on himself and that he understood that refreshments were waiting in the basement. The refreshments consisted of coffee and cake. This is the second surprise the seniors have carried out in less than a year. Last spring, while yet juniors, they surprised Dr. Edgumbe by piping the college hall for gas on the occasion of the rendition of "Fanchon, the Cricketer."

On exhibition throughout the evening was the work in the kindergarten department and in the art room was a collection of china that attracted much notice. The china painting was done principally by Miss Mack, the instructor, and Mrs. J. K. Scherer, who graduated from the art department last year.

Dr. Edgumbe received many congratulations on the new talent added to the college faculty.

WITHOUT DELAY.

J. Sherlock Allen Will Begin Improvements at Berrien Springs.

Yesterday J. Sherlock Allen, the owner of the abandoned county buildings at Berrien Springs, stated that he would begin the work of remodeling the court house this morning. He will get that building in shape before starting improvements on any of the others. By next summer when the resort season opens Mr. Allen expects to have all the buildings in condition for use. He will spend a large sum of money in improvements, and very materially increase the taxable property of the village. He will move to Berrien Springs with his mother at once and remain a resident of that place if his expectations regarding his enterprise are realized.

The old buildings cost Mr. Allen \$1,625. The deed for the same was executed last evening the last thing before the board of supervisors adjourned and the money was paid over to the county clerk. The resolution passed by the supervisors, ordering the execution of the deed, describes the property as "lots 255, 256, 257, 258, 299, 300, 301 and 302, being the court house square in the village of Berrien Springs."

The news of the purchase of the property will cause rejoicing in Berrien Springs. The buildings are in a pathetic condition of dilapidation and decay, and are no longer an ornament to or contribute toward the value of property there.

Old papers for sale at this office.

75,000 PEOPLE.

Estimate of the Crowd at the Kalamazoo Fair.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 14.—The street fair drew an immense crowd of people here yesterday. The Telegraph estimates the number of visitors at 75,000, while the News gives a more conservative estimate of 30,000 to 35,000. There was a crowd anyway, and all the visitors appeared to be enjoying it.

This is the way an editorial writer on the Telegraph speaks of the show: "It is the biggest show Michigan has seen for many years and the originators and promoters ought to be highly satisfied. But today was the big day. Crowds! Well it is almost impossible to navigate about town. It seems as if all Michigan had come to Kalamazoo! The tight rope performer and the snake charmer; the plantation singers and the skeleton woman were all in evidence. The world's fair of Chicago wasn't in it. The centennial at Philadelphia is not to be mentioned. The Paris exposition of 1900 will have to hustle. The year 1897 and the month of October in that year will always be memorable in Michigan history—it was the year and the month of the great Kalamazoo street fair."

INDUSTRY AT VICKSBURG.

Several Men Employed in Gathering Michigan Moss.

The moss harvesting industry of the Vicksburg Nursery company at Portage, is booming, says the Vicksburg Commercial. The camp comprises two sleeping tents, cook and dining tents, and a horse shed. It is on sloping ground, affording fine drainage, and a good drive well furnishes an abundant supply of pure water. The force of men comprises eighteen, and a car load of fine packing moss is gathered and shipped daily.

The moss is gathered by picking it with a small short handled rake, and piled in rows by pickers. A movable side track in sections runs into the marsh, at one end of which is a wooden turntable, from which runs tracks further out into the marsh between two rows of moss. Cars are run on the tracks, drawn by a horse which wears wooden shoes.

From \$100 to \$150 per week is paid out in wages, and they expect to harvest from twenty-five to fifty car loads this year. The work comes between harvesting and fall work, and is a great help to the laborer, who gets \$1.12 per day for ten hours.

The moss is used for packing fruit trees and other nursery stock, and mostly goes to Ohio, Indiana and Illinois nurserymen, who say this is the finest and best quality of moss they can find. This industry has grown to considerable proportions and shows what hustle and push can do. The best moss grows on land that is practically worthless for any other purpose, so the money received from the moss is "like a draft from home," and is all clear gain to the landlord and "moss magnate."

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Governor Pingree has appointed Charles Kelsey judge of probate of Marquette county.

The new railroad from Van Buren to Kalkaska and Grayling will open up a

Do you know what baking powder is bought by the Government for the families of army officers?

Cleveland's.

Do you know what one all the leading teachers of cookery use and recommend?

Cleveland's.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

large territory for Grand Rapids wholesalers.

At Paw Paw over 10,000 people attended the last day of the street fair.

In Port Huron over 200 ladies have signed agreements to take off their hats in public gatherings.

TRIAL BEGINS TODAY.

Evidence Being Taken in the \$25,000 Damage Suit Against C. W. Teetzel.

IN THE U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

A Large Number of Witnesses from This City Will Testify in the Celebrated Case.

The action for \$25,000 damage brought by Mrs. Tabitha Burgett, of Cleveland, O., against Charles W. Teetzel of this city for injuries alleged to have been caused by an attack from Mr. Teetzel's large Newfoundland dog a year ago, went to trial in the United States circuit court at Grand Rapids today.

It was expected that the case would not go on until October 19, but a message by wire from the clerk last night advised Gore & Harvey, attorneys for the defendant, that the trial of the case would begin today. Mr. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Teetzel and some of the defendants' witnesses left for Grand Rapids last night and the rest of the witnesses followed this morning. The witnesses for the defense are: A. I. George B. and P. S. Carley, Dr. B. G. Watson, Mrs. C. W. Teetzel and Curtis O. Alerton.

The plaintiff, it is expected, will attempt to show that the dog, a large, ungainly pup, ferociously rushed upon her and knocked her to the ground, fracturing her hip. There is no question of Mrs. Burgett having been injured—of her hip having been fractured. Her injuries confined her to a bed in Mr. Teetzel's home for several weeks, but the defendant claims that when the plaintiff fell she was playing with the dog; that she had invited him to follow her and with a small stick, which she carried, was teasing him. Playfully the dog leaped upon her, throwing her to the ground.

Mrs. Burgett was boarding in the Teetzel family when the misfortune occurred. She and the dog had been great friends, it is alleged, and were always together. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Geer and Miss Mabel Geer, of this city are among the witnesses for the plaintiff.

Late this morning Attorney Harvey was advised by wire to hold the defendant's witnesses until otherwise notified, indicating that all is not in readiness for the hearing. Those of the plaintiff's witnesses subpoenaed this morning were instructed to appear in Grand Rapids October 19.

What's the Trouble?—Is it Sick Headache?—Is it Biliousness?—Is it Sluggish Liver?—Is your skin sallow?—Do you feel more dead than alive? Your system needs toning—your Liver isn't doing its work. Don't resort to strong drugs. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills, 10 cents for 40 doses, will work wonders for you. Sold by H. L. Bird and Dr. George M. Bell & Co.—16.

THREE NEW FACTORIES.

Buchanan Rapidly Finding the Coveted Prosperity.

BUCHANAN, Oct. 14.—Arrangements have been completed for removing the Columbia Manufacturing company, manufacturers of show cases, grill work and wood novelties, from Chicago to this place. It expects to employ 50 men. This makes three good factories secured to Buchanan within six months. There are no vacant business places and but few vacant houses in town.

CURED OF SCROFULA.

ALLEGAN, Mich., Sept. 3.—For the benefit of suffering humanity I wish to state that for seven years I was a great sufferer from scrofula and blood trouble, having a very bad limb all of those years. My limb was a raw sore from the knee to the ankle, and it had been impossible to find relief or help. My health was very poor from the condition of my blood. After all of these years of suffering I became discouraged and had about given up being any better.

I was advised to call on Drs. B. S. & Co. when at Allegan. They told me they could help me. I believed they knew their business and commenced treatment at that time. This was in 1893. I began to improve at once and continued to improve until my limb was well and my health was good, and I have remained well and I feel that I cannot thank Drs. B. S. & Co. enough for what they have done for me. After seven years with other skillful doctors and to get no better I feel that I must sing their praises. I am in hopes that all sick and afflicted will see Drs. B. S. & Co. before it is too late. They are all right and gentlemen of honor.

MRS. LIZZIE SCHINTZ.
Drs. B. S. & Co. will be at Hotel Benton Wednesday, Oct. 20.

Hunters' Rates.

The Vandalla line will sell hunters tickets good for thirty days at very low rates to points in Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Mississippi. For rates and full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

\$10.00 to Nashville and Return.

October 6 the Vandalla line will sell tickets from St. Joseph to Nashville, Tenn., and return for \$10.00, against Michigan Day at Tennessee exposition. FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Heating Stoves...

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139 Pipestone Street.

Stoves blacked and set up.
Fine work guaranteed.

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New Patterns in

Dinner and Chamber Sets
WILL BE SACRIFICED..

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Lipton's Celebrated Ceylon Tea

Makes friends wherever introduced.

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Caterers to Those Who Want the Best.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



STEAMER LINES FROM

Benton Harbor and St. Joseph to Chicago and Milwaukee.
The steel side wheel steamer, "CITY OF MILWAUKEE," the new propeller "CITY OF LOUISVILLE" and the Steamer "FRANK WOODS"

Beginning Monday, October 4, steamers City of Milwaukee and City of Louisville will run alternately between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago on the following schedule:

Leave Benton Harbor at 8:30 p. m., St. Joseph 10:30 p. m. daily except Saturday; leave Chicago at 11:30 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Tri-weekly steamers to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leave Milwaukee at 7 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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Milwaukee, Foot of Broadway.
St. Joseph, E. A. Graham.
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 The Weekly News, \$1.00 a year.

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

THURSDAY, OCT. 14, 1897.

The South Bend Tribune calls Indiana people "Indians." Why not just say "Indians" and be done with it.

USUALLY after a man is elected to office he begins to think himself the "whole thing." Henry George has begun a similar classification of himself a month before election time.

It would be a good idea for the supervisors to start an investigation and see how many other bills of the St. Joseph Press against the county have been paid twice. The St. Joseph paper gets four times the value of its work in this way. The original bills are usually double the charge that would be made by any first-class printing house for better work.

The spectacular drama, "The Story of Old Glory," to be given this evening is the first time that Benton Harbor people have been privileged to attend a home production produced by home talent. Rev. George A. Sahlin is the author of the drama and the composer of the music and every character is represented by local talent. The opportunity ought to be largely improved.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

New Orleans, Oct. 14.—Yesterday's official yellow fever report was as follows: New cases, 31; deaths, 9; total cases to date, 685; total deaths to date, 77; total cases absolutely recovered, 306 total cases under treatment, 303.

The number of deaths was greater yesterday than on any other day during this epidemic of yellow fever. It is difficult to find the cause, except in the fact that concealment, neglect and rebellion against the authority of the board of health have made it difficult for the physicians to give proper attention to cases. Heretofore the highest number of deaths in any one day has been six. At the board of health there was some discussion among the gathered physicians as to whether the disease had assumed suddenly a more virulent form or whether an aggregation of circumstances had sent up the list of deaths. Prominent doctors say they do not believe the disease has become more malignant in type.

Elsewhere the fever is not making rapid progress. In Texas no town reports any new cases. Mobile has 13 new cases and no deaths; Biloxi, 17 new cases, no deaths; Scranton, 9 new cases, 1 death; McHenry, 1 case and 1 death; Edwards, Miss., 7 cases and 1 death.

R. C. Settles, superintendent of the Wagar Lumber company at Wagar, Ala., died there Tuesday night of yellow fever. One new case has developed. Settles was from Ohio and had been south some time. Recently he and his wife paid a visit to their home, but he returned alone when the yellow fever was announced in the south, leaving his wife behind him.

Little Joker's Joke Was Disastrous. Springfield, Ills., Oct. 14.—The horse called Little Joker who won the 2:30 pace at the fair here on Thursday, Sept. 30, and who was protested against receiving first money by C. A. Wilson, driver of The Bishop, who finished second, as being not eligible to the 2:30 class and started under an assumed name, was identified at Grayville, Ills., last week as Tar Tartar, and was expelled by the American Trotting association, together with his owner and driver, Norman T. Black, who went under the name of H. N. Phillips while racing here and who claimed his home as Muncie, Ind. Tar Tartar was the horse the race officers supposed Little Joker was.

Meeting of the Railway Unions. Peoria, Ills., Oct. 14.—The federation matter was considered informally yesterday by the representatives of the railroad brotherhoods in the absence of Grand Chief Arthur, of the engineers' brotherhood. He arrived yesterday afternoon, and the federation conference at once adjourned until today, as the chiefs of the five brotherhoods desired to consider legislative matters. It was decided that W. F. Hynes, of Denver, grand trustee of the firemen, should be located in Washington during the session of congress to represent the railroad men and watch all legislation affecting their interests.

Good work horses for sale cheap at Herring Bros' livery and sale stable, St. Joseph. 628t12

For sale—For cash or on installments a Steinway concert grand piano. Enquire at F. H. Frazell's, 141 Pipestone street.

For sale—For cash or on installments a Steinway concert grand piano. Enquire at F. H. Frazell's, 141 Pipestone street.

For sale—A four year old colt, broke to drive single or double. Enquire at F. H. Frazell's, 141 Pipestone street. 624t1

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. G. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Special low price sale of picture frames this week at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone street.

The best, Our Congressman and Columbia cigar 5 cents. t/619

Grapes Wanted. 200 tons of Grapes for which the highest market price will be paid. ROBINSON CIDER & VINEGAR CO.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be manly, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Starline Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Old papers for sale at this office.

The Vandavia line will sell tickets to Nashville, Tenn., and return at very low rates on account of the Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition. Choice of routes and quick time. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

Columbia and Our Congressman cigars, 5 cents.

If you want a fine finish on your goods and a perfect fitting neck band no to the Enterprise laundry. t/603

A. H. Rowe has some pure grape vinegar, it is fine, try a gallon. t/619

Our Congressman cigar 5 cents.

The best cider vinegar for 15 cent per gallon, two gallons for 25 cents. Will commence making cider October 1. BEN R. EASTMAN. 610t1

Buy that cloak, cape or jacket of James Pound. He gives you the benefit of Free Literature Tickets. 6t629

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 500 yds. Teaseldown Outing Flannel at 7½c, good value at 10c
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 300 yds. Cotton Plaids at 5c, a good thing for children's dresses.
 800 yds. 2-yd wide sheeting at 10c, this is Peppercell goods and usually sells for 15c.
 Also a great many other articles below regular price.
 Come and see for yourself at

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We Change our Ad today

To tell you that we have disposed of our lot of Picnic Hams and wish to call your attention to our excellent home made sausage made fresh every day and only 8c a pound. Our trade is growing. Can't help it at those prices.

Roasts of beef,.....6c.
 Stewing beef,.....4c.
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 Pork Chops,.....9c.
 Pork Roasts,.....8c.
 Pork Sausage,.....8c.
 Bacon,.....10c.
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 Bologna.....6c.
 Beef Steak.....8c.

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THE EVENING NEWS

25 CTS. A MONTH



Closing Out the Globe Clothing and Shoe Store

The Next for the Boys' Benefit...



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60 Boys' Suits Heavy weight, all wool, dark colored, mostly browns and blacks, sizes 6 to 10, long pants with vest, just the thing for fall and winter, worth \$5.00 to \$10.00 each in any good clothing store, now going at \$1.90

60 More of the Men's All Wool Suits Mediums and heavy weight, all colors, mostly dark, worth \$10 to \$18 each, now going at \$3.00

5 Doz. Men's Derby Hats Black and brown, all sizes, immense quality, strictly fine goods, lined and unlined worth \$2 to \$3 each, now 25c

75 Men's Overcoats Sizes 33 to 36 in., winter weights, all wool Worsteds, Freizes, Kerseys, Beavers and Cheviots, worth \$7.50 to \$15 each, now \$5.00

100 Duck Coats Heavy woolen lined, riveted buttons, stayed seams, extra heavy worth \$1.25, now 85c

30 Rubber Coats Made by the Goodyear Rubber Company, wool lined, seams strapped sewed and cemented, both boys' and men's sizes, were \$4.50 to \$7.50, now \$2.50 and \$3

It's not a matter of profit now but how soon can we move the goods. Remember this sale will last but 77 days more and the good goods go first.

AT THE CLOSING OUT SALE OF THE GLOBE CLOTHING STORE.



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Bargains and Where They May be Secured.

Shawnee Kidney and Bladder Disease removed in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its extraordinary efficacy in removing pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in males or females. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., 108 Main Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Note Gifford for fine rig.
It keeps a cold in one night. Ask for No. 2. Sold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Old papers for sale at this office.

The Enterprise laundry is now ready for business. Try them for fine work. 11603

The cigars we manufacture, Columbia and Our Congressman cigars 5 cents.

Fine exhibit of oil and water color paintings by local artists this week, including the painting by Mrs. A. C. Wainwright, which took the first premium at the state fair at Grand Rapids, at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone. These pictures are for sale.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.
"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Drugists, Benton Harbor 108 Main Street.

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Edwards Your Bowels With Castoreo. Candy Castoreo, cure constipation forever. 30c. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Drugists, Benton Harbor 108 Main Street.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

J. S. LAPOINT wants to sell a horse, buggy and harness.

"STORY of Old Glory" at Conkey's hall tonight. The hall ought to be filled.

THE stock book of the Benton Harbor & Alaska mining company is out and is a beauty.

BASKET ball team No. 2, of the High school, reinforced by the boys' team yesterday defeated team No. 1 by a score of 1 to 0.

"SCHOOL Dreams" will appear Saturday, containing a feature of importance and interest—a picture of Miss Estlow on a bicycle.

A COMPANY of 25 friends of Miss Sarah Van Camp surprised her last evening on the occasion of her twentieth birthday. A very happy evening was spent, the guests being entertained with games and music until late in the evening.

It may be a good thing after all that Benton Harbor didn't convert the Buss machine works into a gas engine factory. The Spaulding engine placed in the office of the Times is giving no end of trouble and is like the other gas engines—refuses to run only when it pleases. Editor Jarvis is being caused lots of worry.

ALBERT Yendes of this city is greatly interested over the contest in the Universalist church concerning some certain forms of creed. Mr. Yendes writes THE NEWS that it is too early to write creeds and adds, "Let us have more liberty and free thought. In my judgment every human being should take a road of his own, every mind should be true to itself, should think, investigate and conclude for itself."

In the October number of the Northwestern Lumberman the lumber dealers and lumber interests of Indiana receive an excellent write-up from Al G. Flournoy, the traveling representative of that paper. The number is embellished with cuts of the principal yards of Indiana and their owners, and presents a very neat appearance. Mr. Flournoy has a one act play written up in Shakespearean style, which is a take-off on one Peter Kruntz, a dealer of the Hoosier state. People who know Mr. Kruntz appreciate the article.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Luxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Frank Gephart started for Anacanda, Mont., last night where he will live.

—Gilbert Trowbridge left for Minnesota last evening where he will make his home.

—C. W. Shriver is in Eau Claire today on business for the West Michigan nurseries.

—F. M. Van Horn returned from Kalamazoo last night where he was in the interest of the Phoenix accident association.

—Miss Belle Bailey, a graduate of Benton Harbor College, is now teaching English in the college and is developing into an excellent instructor.

—J. E. Calley, of Chipley, Fla., wants to go to Alaska with the representatives of the Benton Harbor company. Mr. Calley is an old friend of George F. Sonner.

—Mrs. W. R. Kennedy returned home yesterday from Kentland, Ind., where she has been visiting her mother. On her return trip she spent a few days with friends in Chicago.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers of Dowagiac came over to the city yesterday and in company with Mr. and Mrs. George Bakeman left for Chicago in the evening. They will return Sunday.

—Niles Star: Jerry Hartman, of near Benton Harbor, called upon his old comrade, W. H. Bullard this morning. Mr. Hartman served in the same company with Mr. Bullard and was so unfortunate as to lose an arm. Mr. Hartman and his three sons, all grown men, are on their way to Tennessee, and intend to drive all the way.

Mothers Praise Hood's Sarsaparilla, because, by its great blood enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Comparative closing prices on wheat for two days.

	Oct. 13.	Oct. 12
Wheat—Oct.	91 1/2	90 1/2
December	91 1/2	90 1/2
May	89 1/2	89 1/2
Corn—October	26 1/2	26 1/2
December	27 1/2	27 1/2
May	31 1/2	31 1/2
Oats—October	18 1/2	18 1/2
December	19 1/2	19 1/2
May	21 1/2	21 1/2

On account of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge meeting to be held at Lansing, J. S. Prandstone will be absent from the city from October 18 to 22. The office will be kept open for the day.

FAIR PLAIN, Oct. 14.—A. J. Merry is building an addition to his house and otherwise improving it.

John Abrams is preparing to build a new house.

Mr. Carpenter is going to the soldiers' home in Milwaukee. The old gentleman is an ex-soldier and well deserves the comforts of such a home.

The Fair Plain reading club will meet at Mrs. John Aylsworth's next Wednesday at 2 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

A STRANGE DEATH.

Ludington Woman Determined to Stay in Bed Five Years.

LUDINGTON, Oct. 14.—Miss Carrie Haskell, a woman of rare intellect, and at one time an efficient school teacher, died here under distressing circumstances. She was regarded as eccentric and five years ago she took a notion, on account of some trivial misunderstanding with her two brothers, that she would go to bed and remain there five years. She gave up her school and associates, and no pleading on the part of the family, who treated her with love and care, could induce her to relinquish her strange resolve.

Most of the time her health was good. Her days were spent in reading, sleeping and eating. Her brothers, though not rich, gave her all the comforts of life, and whatever she wanted was furnished. She sternly persisted in her resolution, however, and grew weak and helpless as time wore on.

A few weeks ago, when her five years was almost at an end, she was taken ill with typhoid fever. As she began to grow worse, she expressed a desire to get up, and grew anxious to go out and renew her former associations, but it was too late.

The very best thing you can do.

Western Union Annual Report.
New York, Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the Western Union Telegraph company was held yesterday. The report of President Eckert gives the amount of capital stock outstanding as \$97,370,000, of which \$29,850,335 belongs to and is in the treasury of the company. The net revenue, expenses and profits for the year ended June 30, 1897, were as follows: Revenues, \$22,638,859.16; expenses, \$16,906,656.03.

All Are in It But Half a Dozen.
Pittsburg, Oct. 14.—The organization of the greatest combination of window glass manufacturers ever formed in this country has been completed at Camden, N. J. It was named the American Window Glass company, and is composed of all the factories of the country except half a dozen small concerns.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Argentina's wheat for export is estimated at 1,000,000 tons.

Mayor Harrison will permit no knock-out boxing contests in Chicago.

Jack Cummings died in the Hotel Dieu at New Orleans as a result of blows received in a boxing match.

Ex-Empress Eugenie of France visited and inspected the United States ship San Francisco as it lay at anchor in the port of Smyrna, Asia Minor.

One hundred and fifty roads in the United States representing 30,475 miles of operated mileage, were in the hands of receivers on June 30, 1898.

A. D. O'Neill is waiting examination at Chippewa Falls, Wis., on a charge of stealing Farmer Oliver's carload of lumber from Eagle Point, Wis.

Mrs. Reacher, of Dakota, who is visiting her parents at Wausauke, Wis., gave birth to triplets, two girls and a boy. The mother and children are doing well.

Robert Ingle, while hunting in the woods near Holgate, O., rescued the 6-year-old son of Michado Moor from an eagle. The bird was carrying the child away.

Heavy shipments of wheat to Europe continue. Over sixty grain-laden vessels have left during the last two months and six more are ready to sail from San Francisco.

William Daniel, one of the leaders of the Prohibition party in the United States, and its candidate for the vice presidency in 1894, died in his home at Baltimore.

Captain Robinson, of the Baltimore team, denies that the Temple cup game funds were divided equally. He says each Oriole will get \$310, while the Bostonians receive \$207 each.

Louis Somers, employed in the cooperative establishment of E. R. Stillman at Milwaukee, got his left arm caught in some machinery and before he could be extricated the arm was torn out.

A large barn belonging to William McCoy, a farmer living east of Oliver, Wis., was entirely consumed by fire, together with about sixty tons of hay, 2,000 bushels of oats and all his farm machinery.

Roy Smith, 5 years old, fell into a kettle of hot tomato catsup at Arcola, Ill., and was frightfully scalded. About a week ago the child mistook a cup of lye for water and drank a good portion of the deadly drug.

Commander-in-Chief Gobin, of the G. A. R., has made the following appointments: Inspector general, Alonzo Williams, Providence, R. I.; judge advocate general Eli Torrence, Minneapolis; senior aid-de-camp, Milton A. G. Herat, Lebanon, Pa.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.
FOR SALE—A HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS very cheap. J. S. La Point, 291 Britain avenue. 61630

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Ladies' heavy Boucle and Beaver Jackets at \$4.89
Ladies' Boucle, lined with silk, at 5.49
Ladies' Meltons, Kersey and boucle Jackets, \$6.50 to \$18
Misses' Boucle and Fancy Jackets, at \$2.98, \$3.48 to \$11
Children's Cloaks and Jackets, at \$1.89, \$2.48 to \$6

..DRESS GOODS..

Special values at 19c, 25c and 39c a yard. Among these lots you will find goods worth from 60c to \$1 a yd.

..SHOE DEPARTMENT..

Children's Shoes at 19c pair
Children's Kid Shoes, sizes 6 to 8, at 49c pair
Misses' Kid Shoes, sizes 11 to 2, at 89c pair
Boys' School Shoes, 11 to 2, at 98c pair
Ladies' Kid Shoes \$1.39 pair
Men's Shoes, broken lines, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50, at \$1.19

Ladies' House Garments

Of Russian fleeced cloth, yoke trimmed, with fancy braid, extra full skirts, new figures and stripes, at

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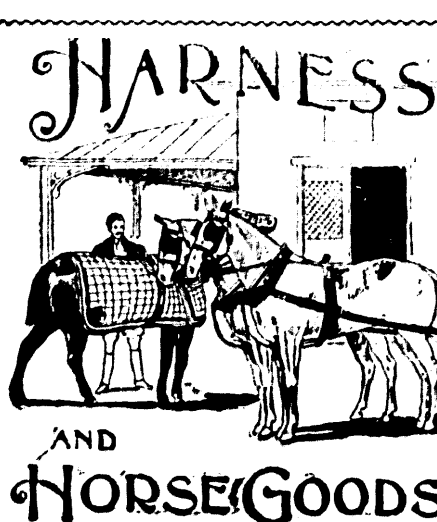
The cash meat men, you will save from 1 to 3 cents on every pound of meat you buy. Figure this up for a year and see what you have saved. See our prices.

Rib Roast, - 9c	Sausage, home made, 8c
Roast of Beef, 14c to 8c	Smoked Ham, sliced, 14c
Fresh Side Pork, - 7c	Good Bacon, - 9c
Pork Steak, - 9c	Bologna, - 7c
Pork Roasts, - 9c	Frankforts, - 8c

Boneless Rumps, 7c

Pure Lard, 8c.

The finest fresh Bulk Oysters at 35c a quart.



HEADQUARTERS
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Horse Blankets

We have just opened the largest and best assorted stock of Horse Blankets, and plush fur robes ever

shown in the city, and ask all in need of such goods to call and examine them. They were bought early last spring before the advance in price and will be disposed of at what many can be bought today from the manufacturers.

In Blankets we have an elegant line of all Wools, such as Bluestone, Yellowstone 5-A and Red Star, all leaders. Chase and Strouck in Plush Robes; Galloway—dog and goat in Fur Robes. Make your selection early before stock is broken, laying in a supply for the future and take advantage of rising market.

We have a few of those Top Buggies that sell for \$50 which we are closing at \$40.90. They cannot be duplicated for this money. Remember the place.

W. O. HOVEY, 157 PIPESTONE STREET

THE TALMAGE DRAWS INSPIRATION FROM THE TEEMING HARVESTS.

From the Pictures of the Husking Season, the Blessing of Blessings to the Good Man—The Chill of the Frosts Followed by Gladness.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—This sermon by the Talmage is peculiarly seasonable at the present time, when the teeming harvests all over the land are awaiting the husbandman. His text is Job 7, 26, "As a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

Going at the rate of 40 miles the hour a few days ago, I caught this sermon. If you have recently been in the fields of Pennsylvania, or New Jersey, or New York, or New England, or any of the country districts, you know that the corn is nearly all out. The sharp knife struck through the stalks and left them all along the fields until a man came with a bundle of straw and twisted a few of these wisps of straw into a band, and then gathering up as much of the corn as he could compass with his arms he bound it with this wisp of straw, and then stood it in the field in what is called a shock.

It is estimated that there are now several billion bushels of corn standing in the shock, waiting to be husked. Some time during the latter part of next month the farmers will gather, one day on one farm, another day on another farm, and they will put on their rough husking apron, and they will take the husking peg, which is a piece of iron with a leather loop fastened to the hand, and with it unsheath the corn from the husk and toss it into the golden heap. Then the wagons will come along and take it to the corner.

How vividly to all those of us who were born in the country comes the remembrance of husking time! We waited for it as for a gala day of the year. It was called a frolic. The trees having for the most part shed their foliage, the farmers waded through the fallen leaves and came through the keen morning air to the gleeful company. The frosts, which had allured everything during the night, began to melt off of the top of the corn shocks. While the farmers were waiting for others, they stood blowing their breath through their fingers or thrashing their arms around their bodies to keep up warmth of circulation.

Husking the Corn.

Roaring mirth greeted the late farmer as he crawled over the fence. Joke and repartee and rustic salutation abounded. All ready, now! The men take hold the shock of corn and hurl it prostrate, while the moles and mice which have secreted themselves there for warmth attempt escape. The withe of straw is unweaved from the corn shock, and the stalks, heavy with the wealth of grain, are rolled into two bundles, between which the husker sits down. The husking peg is thrust in until it strikes the corn, and then the fingers rip off the sheathing of the ear and there is a crack as the root of the corn is snapped off from the husk, and the grain, disimprisoned, is hurled up into the sunlight.

The air is so tonic, the work is so very exhilarating, the company is so blithe, that some laugh, and some shout, and some sing, and some banter, and some tease a neighbor for a romantic ride along the edge of the woods in an eventide. In a carriage that holds but two, and some prophecy as to the number of bushels to the field, and others go into competition as to which shall rifle the most corn shocks before sundown.

After awhile the dinner horn sounds from the farmhouse, and the table is surrounded by a group of jolly and hungry men. From all the pantries and the cellars and the perches of fowl on the place the richest dainties come, and there are carnival and neighborhood reunion and a scene which fills our memory, part with smiles, but more with tears, as we remember that the farm belongs now to other owners, and other hands gather in the fields, and many of those who mingled in that merry husking scene have themselves been reaped "like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

There is a difference of opinion as to whether the orientals knew anything about the corn as it stands in our fields, but recent discoveries have found out that the Hebrew knew all about Indian maize, for there have been grains of the corn picked up out of ancient crypts and examined from hiding places where they were put down many centuries ago, and they have been planted in our time and have come up just such Indian maize as we raise in New York and Ohio. So I am right when I say that my text may refer to a shock of corn just as you and I bound it, just as you and I threw it, just as you and I husked it. There may come some practical and useful and comforting lessons to all our souls while we think of coming in at last "like a shock of corn coming in in his season."

Death the Blessing of Blessings.

It is high time that the king of terrors were thrown out of the Christian vocabulary. A vast multitude of people talk of death as though it were the disaster of disasters instead of being to a good man the blessing of blessings. It is moving out of a cold vestibule into a warm temple. It is migrating into groves of rejoicing and perpetual fruitage. It is a change from black March to rosy June. It is a change of manacles for garlands. It is the transmuting of the iron handcuffs of earthly incarceration into the diamonded wristlets of a bridal party, or, to use the suggestion of my text, it is only husking time. It is the tearing off of the rough sheath of the body that the bright and the beautiful soul may go free. Coming in "like a shock of corn cometh in in his season" Christ broke up a funeral procession at the gate of Nairi by making a resurrection day for a young man and his mother. And I would that I could break up your sadnesses and halt the long funeral procession of the world's grief by some cheering and cheerful view of the last transition.

We all know that husking time was a time of frost. Frost on the fence. Frost on the stubble. Frost on the ground. Frost on the bare branches of the trees. Frost in the air. Frost on the hands of the huskers. You remember we used to bound the corn shocks so as to keep them from rotting, but still you remember how cold was the body and how painful the shock and how benumbed were the hands after awhile the sun was high and all the frosts went out of the air, and awakened the echoes and joy of the huskers. "Ah, ah, ah!"

And we say, "Will we ever get over it?" Yes, we will get over it amid the shoutings of heavenly reunion, and we will look back to all these distresses of husking time. "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." "Light, and but for a moment," said the apostle as he clasped his hands, "light, and but for a moment." The chill of the frosts followed by the gladness that cometh in "like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

God's Way of Parting.

Of course the husking time made rough work with the ear of corn. The husking peg had to be thrust in and the hard thumb of the husker had to come down on the swathing of the ear, and then there was a pull and a ruthless tearing and then a complete snapping off before the corn was free, and if the husk could have spoken it would have said: "Why do you lacerate me? Why do you wrench me?" Ah, my friends, that is the way God has arranged that the ear and the husk shall part, and that is the way he has arranged that the body and soul shall separate. You can afford to have your physical distresses when you know that they are only forwarding the soul's liberation. Every rheumatic pain is only a plunge of the husking peg. Every neuralgic twinge is only a twist by the husker. There is gold in you that must come out. Some way the shackle must be broken. Some way the ship must be launched for heavenly voyage. You must let the heavenly Husbandman husk off the mortality from the immortality.

There ought to be great consolation in this for all who have chronic ailments, since the Lord is gradually and more mildly taking away from you that which hinders your soul's liberation, doing gradually for you what for many of us in robust health perhaps he will do in one fell blow at the last. At the close of every illness, at the close of every paroxysm, you ought to say: "Thank God, that is all past now. Thank God, I will never have to suffer that again. Thank God, I am so much nearer the hour of liberation." You will never suffer the same pain twice. You may have a new pain in an old place, but never the same pain twice.

The pain does its work and then it dies. Just so many plunges of the crowbar to free the quarry stone for the building. Just so many strokes of the chisel to complete the statue. Just so many pangs to separate the soul from the body. You who have chronic ailments and disorders are only paying in installments that which some of us will have to pay in one payment when we pay the debt of nature. Thank God, therefore, ye who have chronic disorders, that you have so much less suffering at the last. Thank God that you will have so much less to feel in the way of pain at the hands of the heavenly Husbandman when "the shock of corn cometh in in his season."

Corn Not Worth Husking.

Perhaps now this may be an answer to a question which I asked one Sabbath morning, but did not answer. Why is it that so many really good people have so dreadfully to suffer? You often find a good man with enough pains and aches and distresses, you would think, to discipline a whole colony, while you will find a man who is perfectly useless going around with easy digestion and steady nerves and shining health and his exit from the world is comparatively painless. How do you explain that? Well, I noticed in the husking time that the husking peg was thrust into the corn and then there must be a stout pull before the swathing was taken off of the ear and the full, round, healthy, luxuriant corn was developed, while on the other hand there was corn that hardly seemed worth husking. We threw that into a place all by itself and we called it "nubbins."

Some of it was mildewed and some of it was mice nibbled and some of it was great promise and no fulfillment. All cobs and no corn. Nubbins! After the good corn had been driven up to the barn we came around with the corn basket and we picked up these nubbins. They were worth saving, but not worth much. So all around us there are people who amount to nothing. They develop into no kind of usefulness. They are nibbled on one side by the world and nibbled on the other side by the devil and mildewed all over. Great promise and no fulfillment. All cob and no corn. Nubbins!

They are worth saving. I suppose many of them will get to heaven, but they are not worthy to be mentioned in the same day with those who went through great tribulation into the kingdom of our God. Who would not rather have the pains of this life, the misfortunes of this life—who would not rather be torn, and wounded, and lacerated, and wrenched, and husked, and at last go in amid the very best grain of the granary, than to be pronounced not worth husking at all? Nubbins! In other words, I want to say to you people who have distress of body and distress in business and distress of all sorts, the Lord has not any grudge against you. It is not derogatory; it is complimentary. "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth," and it is proof positive that there is something valuable in you, or the Lord would not have husked you.

The God Fashioned Grain.

You remember also that in the time of husking it was a neighboring reunion. By the great fireplace in the winter, the fires roaring around the glorified backlogs on an old fashioned hearth, of which the modern stoves and registers are only the degenerate descendants, the farmers used to gather and spend the evening, and there would be much sociality, but it was not anything like the joy of the husking time, for then all the farmers came, and they came in the very best humor, and they came from beyond the meadow, and they came from beyond the brook, and they came from regions two and three miles around. Good spirit reigned supreme, and there were great handshakings, and there was carnival, and there was the recital of the brightest experiences in all their lives, and there was a neighborhood reunion the memory of which makes all the nerves of my body tremble with emotion as the strings of a harp when the fingers of a player have swept the chords.

The husking time was the time of neighborhood reunion, and so heaven will be just that. There they come up! They sleep in the old village churchyard. There they come up! They reclined amid the fountains and the sculpture and the parterres of a city cemetery. There they come up! They went down when the ship foundered off Cape Hatteras. They come up from all sides—from Potter's field and out of the cold masonry of Westminster Abbey. They come up! They come up! All the blessings to their loved ones. All the blessings to their loved ones. All the blessings to their loved ones.

Now, in heaven all their offensiveness has been husked off. Each one is as happy as he can be. Every one he meets as happy as he can be. Heaven one great neighborhood reunion. All kings and queens, all songsters, all millionaires, all banqueters. God, the father, with his children all around him. No "goodby" in all the air. No grave out in all the hills. River of crystal rolling over bed of pearl, under arch of chrysoprasus, into the sea of glass mingled with fire. Stand at the gate of the granary and see the grain come in, out of the frosts into the sunshine, out of the darkness into the light, out of the tearing and the ripping, and the twisting, and the wrenching, and the lacerating, and the husking time of earth into the wide open door of the king's granary, "like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

At the Gate of the Granary.

Yes, heaven, a great sociable, with joy like the joy of the husking time. No one there feeling so big he declines to speak to some one who is not so large. Archangel willing to listen to smallest cherub. No bolting of the door of caste at one heavenly mansion to keep out the citizen of a smaller mansion. No clique in one corner whispering about a clique in another corner. David taking none of the airs of a giant killer. Joshua making no one halt until he passes because he made the sun and moon halt. Paul making no assumptions over the most ordinary preacher of righteousness. Naaman, captain of the Syrian host, no more honored than the captive maid who told him where he could get a good doctor. O my soul, what a country! The humblest man a king. The poorest woman a queen. The meanest house a palace. The shortest lifetime eternity. And what is more strange about it all is, we may all get there. "Not I," says some one standing back under the galleries. Yes, you. "Not I," says some one who has not been in church in 15 years before. Yes, you. "Not I," says some one who has been for 50 years filling up his life with all kinds of wickedness. Yes, you.

No Monopoly of Religion.

There are monopolies on earth, monopolistic railroads, monopolistic telegraph companies and monopolistic grain dealers, but no monopoly in religion. All who want to be saved may be saved, "without money and without price." Salvation by the Lord Jesus Christ for all the people. Of course, use common sense in this matter. You cannot expect to get to Charleston by taking ship for Portland, and you cannot expect to get to heaven by going in an opposite direction. Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved. Through that one gate of pardon and peace all the race may go in.

"But," says some one, "do you really think I would be at home in that supernatural society if I should reach it?" I think you would. I know you would. I remember that in the husking time there was a great equality of feeling among the neighbors. There at one corn shock a farmer would be at work who owned 200 acres of ground. The man whom he was talking with at the next corn shock owned but 20 acres of ground, and perhaps all covered by a mortgage. That evening, at the close of the husking day, one man drove home a roan span so frisky, so full of life, they got their feet over the traces. The other man walked home. Great difference in education, great difference in worldly means, but I noticed at the husking time they all seemed to enjoy each other's society. They did not ask any man how much property he owned or what his education had been. They all seemed to be happy together in those good times.

And so it will be in heaven. Our Father will gather his children around him, and the neighbors will come in, and the past will be rehearsed. And some one will tell of victory and we will all celebrate it. And some one will tell of great struggle, and we will all praise the grace that fetched him out of it. And some one will say: "Here is my old father that I put away with heartbreak. Just look at him, he is as young as any of us!" And some one will say: "Here is my darling child that I buried in Greenwood, and all the after years of my life were shadowed with desolation. Just look at her! She doesn't seem as if she had been sick a minute." Great sociality. Great neighborhood kindness.

What though John Milton sit down on one side and John Howard sit down on the other side. No embarrassment. What though Charlotte Elizabeth sit down on one side and Hannah More sit down on the other side? No embarrassment. A monarch yourself, why be embarrassed among monarchs? A songster yourself, why be embarrassed amid glorified songsters? Go in and dine.

All the shocks coming in in their season. Oh, yes, in their season. Not one of you having died too soon or having died too late or having died at haphazard. Planted at just the right time. Plowed at just the right time. Cut down at just the right time. Husked at just the right time. Garnered at just the right time. Coming in in your season.

The Song of the Huskers.

Oh, I wish that the billions of bushels of corn now in the fields or on the way to the seaboard might be a type of the grand yield of honor and glory and immortality, when all the shocks come in.

I do not know how you are constituted, but I am so constituted that there is nothing that so awakens reminiscences in me as the odors of a cornfield when I cross it at this time of year after the corn has been out and it stands in shocks. And so I have thought it might be practically useful for us today to cross the cornfield, and I have thought perhaps there might be some reminiscence roused in our soul that might be salutary and might be saving. In Sweden, a prima donna, while her house in the city was being repaired, took a house in the country for temporary residence, and she brought out her great array of jewels to show a friend who wished to see them. One night after displaying these jewels and leaving them on the table, and all her friends had gone, and the servants had gone—one summer night—she sat thinking and looking into a mirror just in front of her chair, when she saw in that mirror the face of a better looking in at the window behind her and gazing at her. She was in great fright, and she called and loudly knowing with the

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DEFICIT IN THE SUPPLY SHOWN.

But a Contraction in the Consumption Suggested, Owing to Increased Prices of Wheat and Rye—Russian International Lawyer Selected as the Umpire in the Venezuela Boundary Dispute—Indication That Justice Field Is to Retire.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The monthly report of the agricultural department on the European crop situation, summarizing the reports of European correspondents, was made public yesterday. Following is an abstract: Recent information, while it may in some cases modify the crop estimates for particular countries, does not essentially change the situation as regards the deficiency in the principal cereal crops of Europe. The outlook for wheat in the Australian colonies continues good, but the prospects in Argentina are somewhat less bright, owing to drought and frosts. Accounts from India are quite favorable, both as to the Kharif crops, harvested, or to be harvested this fall, and as to the seedling of the Rabi crop, to be harvested next spring, which latter includes the wheat crop.

World's Entire Wheat and Rye Crops.
The annual estimate of the world's wheat and rye crops issued by the Hungarian ministry of agriculture, gives the following revised results for 1897, compared with 1896: Wheat production, importing countries, 800,771,000 for 1897; 886,629,000 for 1896. Exporting countries, 1897, 1,341,896,000; 1896, 1,452,902,000. Total wheat production of both importing and exporting countries in 1897, 2,142,667,000; in 1896, 2,339,531,000; net deficit, 1897, 202,864,000; 1896, 130,534,000. The world's rye crop is put down by the same authority as follows: 1897, 1,163,457,000; 1896, 1,203,185,000. These figures are all in bushels. Against the net deficit of approximately 203,000,000 bushels of wheat estimated by the ministry it estimates that there is a residue of from 145,000,000 to 170,000,000 bushels out of the former crops, leaving in round numbers from 58,000,000,000 down to 33,000,000 bushels as the quantity by which it would be necessary to curtail consumption if these estimates should prove to be correct.

Many People Will Go Hungry.
It is, of course, quite likely that under the influence of high prices consumption will be curtailed by more than this amount, and that existing stocks will not be reduced too near to the point of complete exhaustion. Extremely pessimistic reports as to the extent of the crop failure in Russia have been circulated, but the liberal quantities coming forward for shipment have led dealers to receive such reports with incredulity. It is probable, however, that much of the Russian grain going to western European markets is out of the more liberal harvests of former years, and there is evidence tending to show that the crop of 1897 is at any rate considerably below the average.

Europe Is Short of Barley, Also.
The markets of Europe will apparently be very inadequately supplied with good clear barley suitable for malting purposes, complaints on this score being common among growers in large parts of Germany, Austria-Hungary and other countries, including the province of Ontario in Canada, in which such barley is usually an important product. The European potato crop is apparently a short one, and the fruit crop also is deficient. Consul Eugene Germain, of Zurich, Switzerland, after an investigation of the European fruit prospect, expresses the opinion that there will be a good market for American apples and dried fruit this season, if growers will be careful to put up choice stock only.

ARBITRATOR COMES FROM RUSSIA.

Man Who Will Decide Disputed Points for Venezuela and Britain.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The international court of arbitration which is to pass on the British-Venezuela boundary has been completed by the selection of M. Maertens, a distinguished Russian jurist, as umpire, and arrangements are being made for the assembling of the court at Paris during the late summer or fall of next year. In the meantime the briefs of Great Britain and of Venezuela are being prepared, but none of the papers have yet been submitted. M. Maertens will act not only as umpire but also as president of the board. The announcement that a European umpire had been chosen was made some time since, but the name had been withheld until the sanction of the czar could be secured for M. Maertens' service as arbitrator.

Great Britain and Venezuela each submitted a list of distinguished jurists who would be acceptable to it as umpire. These embraced the most noted men of Europe, but it is a tribute to M. Maertens that his was the only one on the lists of both countries. M. Maertens' reputation as an authority on international law is world-wide, and has led to his frequent selection as arbitrator and umpire in international differences. He is an official of the Russian foreign office, professor of international law at the University of St. Petersburg, and author of Maertens' Treaties, the standard book of reference on all the treaties of the world. Little doubt is felt as to his acceptance.

Talk of Justice Field's Retirement.
Washington, Oct. 14.—The belief that Justice Field is seriously contemplating early retirement from the supreme court bench was strengthened yesterday by the postponement of several more important cases until the first Monday in January. The postponement in one case was made upon the statement to the court by one of the attorneys that it involves a constitutional question rendering it desirable that it should be considered by a full bench. The chief justice makes no direct reference to the probable change in the court's personnel, but his manner and the fact that he insists upon the postponement of important cases leaves little room for doubt that he is of opinion that there will be a change.

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CORN HUSKING TIME

(Continued from page 6.)
The mirror that the robber's face had gone from the window and it did not come back. A few days after the prima donna received a letter from the robber, saying, "I heard that the jewels were to be out that night and I came to take them at whatever hazard, but when I heard you sing that 'nursery song with which my mother so often sang me to sleep, I could not stand it and I fled, and I have resolved upon a new and an honest life."
Oh, my friends, there are jewels in peril richer than those which lay upon that table that night. They are the jewels of the immortal soul. Would God that some song rolling up out of the deserted nursery of your childhood or some song rolling up out of the cornfields, the song of the huskers 20 or 40 years ago, might turn all our feet out of the paths of sin into the paths of righteousness. Would God that those memories wafted in on odor or song might start us this moment with swift feet toward that blessed place where so many of our loved ones have already preceded us, "as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

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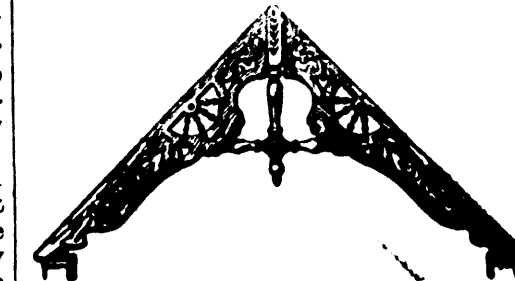
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Suffering from spermatorrhoea, impotency—lost manhood—or from weakness brought on from errors or indiscretions in youth or overindulgence in later years, are given permanent relief. Absolute cures guaranteed; strictly confidential.
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In effect Sept. 26, 1897.

Going South	Stations.	Going North
6:30 a.m.	St. Joseph	6:30 a.m.
11:55 a.m.	St. Joseph	11:55 a.m.
1:55 p.m.	St. Joseph	1:55 p.m.
3:55 p.m.	St. Joseph	3:55 p.m.
5:55 p.m.	St. Joseph	5:55 p.m.

DETROIT, G.D. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.
Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. For Eastland at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. For Eastland at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY, MICHIGAN DIVISION.
No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:30 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. Arrive at Benton Harbor at 11:30 a. m. No. 28 at 1:30 p. m. No. 30 at 5:00 p. m.

VANDALIA LINE.

South bound.	Stations.	North bound.
No. 15	St. Joseph	No. 6
5:15 p.m.	St. Joseph	2:15 p.m.
5:45 p.m.	St. Joseph	2:45 p.m.
6:12 p.m.	St. Joseph	3:12 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	St. Joseph	4:00 p.m.

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Going South	Stations.	Going North
No. 3	St. Joseph	No. 4
Daily	St. Joseph	Daily
Ex. Ex. Mis	St. Joseph	Ex. Ex. Mis
Sun. Sun. B. H.	St. Joseph	Sun. Sun. B. H.
4:30 p.m.	St. Joseph	4:30 p.m.
4:44 p.m.	St. Joseph	4:44 p.m.
4:58 p.m.	St. Joseph	4:58 p.m.
5:09 p.m.	St. Joseph	5:09 p.m.
5:20 p.m.	St. Joseph	5:20 p.m.

WEDDINGS.

Robert E. Rees and Miss Linda Scott are married.

Robert E. Rees, of Red Key, Ind., and Miss Linda Scott, of St. Joseph, sister of Mrs. N. A. Hamilton, were married at noon today, at the Universalist parsonage by the Rev. George A. Sahlin. Mr. and Mrs. Rees left at once for Red Key where Mr. Rees is manager of a hotel.

"STORY OF OLD GLORY."

It Will be Presented at Conkey's Tonight.

Rev. George A. Sahlin's new drama, "The Story of Old Glory," will be brought out at Conkey's opera house tonight by amateur players of this city. It is a cleverly written piece, with startling climaxes and pleasingly tinged with romance throughout. Catchy new music, Mr. Sahlin's composition, will be rendered by the city's best talent, and a splendid entertainment is promised.

JUDGE CADY SUED.

An Interesting Law Point to Be Settled.

Some time ago there was a case in Justice Cady's court between Merkle and Hiler. Merkle was compelled to put up security for costs and the money was placed in the hands of the justice. After the case was settled and the costs paid Judge Cady had a balance of \$15 belonging to Merkle. He deposited the money in the First National bank the day before it failed. He told Merkle's attorneys, Hammond & Hammond, of the circumstances and they said their client was in no special hurry for the money. In the meantime Attorney Bridgman heard of the balance coming to Merkle and he got out a garnishee forbidding the justice to pay over the money. A few hours later Hammond & Hammond sued the justice for the money he was previously ordered not to pay.

The suit will probably be interesting. Justice Cady was about to pay one of the members of the Hammond law firm at the time the garnishee papers were served on him. Justice Kimball issued the papers in both cases. In the first he was ordered not to pay Hammond & Hammond and in the second set he was sued to pay money that the court had previously enjoined him from paying.

Chance to Save a Dollar.

Everyone is looking to see where they can save a dollar and be perfectly satisfied. We can help you to do so if you will buy your hats, tips, feathers, ribbons and everything in the millinery line of us. Our stock is all new and complete this fall, our rooms are large and pleasant. Come and see us at Room 6, Jones & Sonner block.

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EVENING NEWS 25 cents a month.

THE PATRIOT.

Unsettled but generally fair weather tonight. Friday showers, cooler in the afternoon.

ST. JOSEPH.

Montgomery Shepard is in Chicago. Horace Hart has purchased the Fletcher building and moved it to a lot at Church and Price streets.

Barnes & Hoesbain have begun the construction of their new ice house on the St. Joseph river near the highway bridge.

Charles Christensen is negotiating for land on the St. Joseph river near Petersen's boat house for the purpose of erecting an ice house.

Drake & Wallace are tearing down the old ice house on their premises at the docks and will build in its place a restaurant room where "quick meals" will be served.

Harry Stone's jewelry store was closed the second time yesterday by a constable. He had paid the \$30 judgment on which the store was closed by Constable Sinsbaugh and obtained the key to his place. His store had not been open an hour when Constable Orford swooped down upon and seized the stock to satisfy the holders of chattel mortgages aggregating \$1,300. One of the mortgages, of the sum of \$900, is held by his wife.

AMONG THE CRIMINALS.

George Vosburg, accused of obtaining goods under false pretenses, is having his preliminary hearing before Justice Graves this afternoon. He is alleged to have drawn checks on the Farmers & Merchants bank without a deposit there, and exchanged the same for fruit and vegetables which he purchased for a Chicago commission house. He had been buying fruit all summer, paying with checks on the above bank and he supposed that his firm had money there when he drew the checks which caused his arrest. The case was continued until October 18.

Elton Lane, 18 years old, charged with an unnatural crime, was arrested yesterday at Stevensville, his home, by Sheriff Ferguson, and entered into a recognizance of \$500 to appear next Monday before Justice Baldrey for preliminary hearing.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Probate Court.

Petition filed for the appointment of George L. Faurate as administrator of the estate of Bertha Redding, deceased. George L. Faurate appointed special administrator of the estate of Bertha Redding, deceased.

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..E. E. GODFREY..

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Across Canal, opposite Graham & Morton Dock.

We will send to any address by mail a set of six cut-out dolls and six extra dresses on receipt of four cents in stamps. These dolls illustrate the use and value of Diamond Dyes in coloring anything, from silks and ribbons to a heavy cloak or gown. Diamond Dyes come in all colors and should not be confused with the cheap dyes coming in only a few colors, that some dealers try to sell for the sake of extra profit. Write us at once for the dolls before they are all gone—WELLS, RICHARDSON & CO., Burlington, Vt.

DEFENDED DANCING.

President of Alma College Stir Up Presbyterians.

BAY CITY, Oct. 14.—The special committee on the relations of Alma College and Michigan Female seminary, made a flattering report today. Rev. Davis, president of the seminary, spoke for some time on dancing. He said though there were objections to the young ladies dancing in the seminary, he saw no harm, as they danced by themselves. Mr. Davis stirred up a lively debate in the Michigan Presbyterian synod.

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Carnival Excursion

To Grand Rapids
At Special Low Rates.

There will be a hot time in the old town during the last week of October, and to make it easy for everybody to enjoy the Carnival attractions and do a little business too, the C. & W. M. railway will run excursions from various points at very low rates. The day fixed upon the excursion from Benton Harbor is October 26. Train will leave at 8:25 a. m. and arrive at Grand Rapids at 12 noon. Leave returning at 6:00 p. m. and 11 p. m. Round trip rate \$1.50. If you wish to stay longer, purchase a ticket at one fare rate good until Saturday, October 30. Great attractions day and night all the week. Late trains returning will enable all to see the festivities at night and reach home by daylight. Sleep on the cars and have no expense for lodging.
GEO. DE HAVEN, G. P. A.

"I lived at a blacksmith's home which was an even a good one, on the line between New York state and Pennsylvania," said a story teller to a St. Joseph Journal reporter. "Of course, there was a blacksmith shop there. In those days the blacksmith's trade was a notoriously good one. All the blacksmiths got rich with their horse, mule and ox shoeing, and the wagon and the other repair work which they did. Most of the blacksmiths combined with their other work wagon repairing and even wagon making. There were very few big wagon factories in those days, and a good hand made wagon cost big money. When they were doing nothing else, they would make wagons, and when there was lots of transient work the wagons had to wait. This state line shop was a busy place. There was no tavern there, but the blacksmith also had a cider press, and he made the cider for all the farmers for miles around. But neither this nor the profits of his shop could account for the rapid way in which he accumulated wealth. As is well known, apple cider, if allowed to stand long enough, will become 'hard,' and after that it will turn into vinegar."

"This cider dealer always had plenty of hard cider on hand, but never had any vinegar for sale. The farmers and others who stopped at his place could always get a drink of hard cider, which they took out of a tin dipper at 10 cents a drink, and the size of the drink was something which attracted very little attention. Hardly any kind of beverage is more intoxicating than hard cider. It is a good deal like champagne in one respect. You can drink a great deal of it one day, and the next day you will be awfully sick and sorry, and a good deal drunker than when you went to bed. The blacksmith required no license to sell hard cider, and he worked the game to the limit. His place became very popular, and the farmers came from many miles around in both states to get their horses shod at his place. Many of them would come home drunk, and their wives began to protest. They always had to have some excuse for having visited the state line shop, and so the blacksmith, after supplying them with a few dipperfuls of hard cider, would take the shoes off their beasts and put on new ones, whether they needed it or not. For this service he would charge a good round price, while in many instances it was noticed he made no charge for the cider."

"But, as is the way of all flesh, this blacksmith died one day, and then his business secrets came out. He left an estate of over \$80,000, and in the cellar of the cider press a great number of empty whisky barrels were found. For years he had been putting whisky into his cider and had been setting new shoes on nearly every horse which came along, willy nilly."—Washington Star.

The very best thing you can do.

Try one of our Congressman's cigars.

Orange vinegar is the best for pickles and preserves. You can get it at Howe's.

One Way Settlers' Fares.

On the first and third Tuesday of each month the Vandalia line will sell one way tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For rates and full information call or address
FRANK R. HALL, agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

Be sure and ask your grocer for Robinson's cider vinegar, it is pure.

Revised List of Big Four Rates.

To Indianapolis, Ind. Tickets on sale October 13, 14 and 15. Good to return October 23 at \$5.30 for the round trip.

Hunters' tickets, season 1897. Tickets on sale to southern, southwestern and northwestern points at greatly reduced rates.

Home Seekers' tickets:—Tickets on sale October 18, November 2 and 16, December 7 and 21 or the day preceding, to home seekers, points at one fare for the round trip plus \$2

One way settlers' rates: Tickets on sale October 19 to southern and southeastern points at greatly reduced rates.
L. G. SMITH, Agent.

Mrs. L. M. Fitch, hair emporium. Combing made up in all the latest styles. Frizzes, puffs and switches. Parlors 7 Sweet block.

THE long winter evenings will soon be here and everybody will want a bright and entertaining newspaper. This want is fully met by the Chicago Chronicle.

Cistern Cleaning.

William Seel has been doing some good cleaning cisterns and has recommends from Rev. George A. Sahlin, Mayor Bell and George B. Thayer. Every one who patronizes him recommends his work. Call at 197 Rifford street. 62119

Columbia cigars 5 cents.

Apples Wanted.

The Robinson Cider & Vinegar company is ready for its annual grind of apples and will pay good prices for apples delivered at its mill on West Main street. It can use an unlimited amount of apples and is desirous that the fruit growers begin hauling at once.
THE ROBINSON CIDER & VINEGAR CO.
6021

A large stock of portrait frames in new and elegant designs at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone.

BANK NOTICE.

Treasury Department.
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., September 21, 1897.
Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The First National Bank of Benton Harbor, Michigan," that the same must be presented to Daniel B. Alagar, receiver with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.
GEO. M. CORPUS,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

..Everybody Wants a Chance..

At some of the Bargains being offered from the Sweet stock of Dry Goods and Groceries. Goods bought at 60c on the dollar can be furnished to the consumer at prices that cannot be matched by dealers who have bought in the regular way. We are going to reduce the stock at all hazards and can quote only a few of the BARGAINS NOW AT YOUR DISPOSAL.

Colored silk, short lengths for waists, trimmings, etc., old prices 75c to \$1.00, now your choice from 50 pieces at 48c yd
All wool novelty dress flannels, 40 inch, Sweet's price 60c, now going at 39c yd
A lot of fancy colored Scotch plaid dress goods at 5c and 9c yd for children's dresses.
Black and colored dress goods galore, and the prices will never be lower.
Brocade velvets for trimmings, etc., old price \$1 yd, cut to 48c
A ladies' all wool cashmere hose, all sizes, at 19c, good quality.

1000 yds heavy outing flannels, Sweet's price 10 and 12c, take what you want at 7c yd
New style novelty prints, standard quality, at 3½c yd.
Heavy brown muslin, worth at wholesale today 5c yd, a limited quantity while it lasts at 4c yd
Ladies' gents' and children's underwear at prices that have never been matched in this city. No need to go cold this winter.
A lot of books, stationery, pens, pencils, ink, etc., to close out at your own price. A chance for the school children.
Men's good working shirts, 20c,

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

A lot of Rio and Santos coffee worth 20c now going at 11c lb.
Good quality Oolong tea at 29c lb.
Rocket baking powder at 8c lb.
Pure leaf lard, 3 pound pails for 20c
New beans at 4c qt.
Fairbank's Gold Dust at 16c pkg.
Fairbank's "Michigan family soap" equal to any soap made "Santa Claus" not excepted 10 bars for 25c

TOBACCOS to be all closed out at cut rates, for instance:
Havana cigar clippings sold at 15c now 9c
Plover Boys going at 4c pkg.
Peerless going at 6c pkg.
Sun Cured going at 6c pkg.
Hand made going at 7c pkg.
Dukes mixture going at 3c pkg.
Brier Pipe going at 4c pkg.
Biggest and best plug going at 15c a lb.
Kyllo Plug going at 7c a cut.

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by advertising your goods in the Benton Harbor News

DID WEYLER WINK?

Not at the Fair Evangelina, but at the Daring Men Who Rescued Her from Prison.

QUESTION THAT IS NOW MOOTED

About the Most Recent of the Sensations Originating on the Pearl of the Antilles—Young Woman That Plotted to Have a Spanish Officer Killed, as Alleged, Arrived at New York—Story of Her Escape to the Ship.

New York, Oct. 14.—Evangelina Cosío y Cisneros is in New York. She arrived safely on the Ward line steamer Seneca yesterday morning, direct from Havana. The steamer was met down the bay by a tug having on board a large number of newspaper men and Cuban patriots. If the Spaniards are not wroth at the escape her rescue from a Havana prison was one of the most daring feats ever attempted with success. It is largely the opinion among those who know something of Spanish methods, however, that there was no real danger to those engaged in the enterprise. Among those who believe this is W. J. Cathoun, of Danville, who was in Cuba as special commissioner. He believes the Spanish authorities winked at the escape of Miss Cisneros as affording them relief from a troublesome subject without compromising their dignity.

Passed Through the Detective Line. Whether there was danger to the rescuers or not the girl who has become so famous is here, and needs no rescuers now, from Spanish enemies, at any rate. This is the way she is alleged to have escaped: While she was still in prison her friends secured a passport for one Juan Sola, and state room No. 3 on the Seneca was held in the same name. This was three days before the boat sailed. On the Saturday when the Seneca was to leave Havana detectives watched her gang-ways. All day long they remained at their post, examining the passports which all passengers have to show before leaving Havana. Their vigilance would probably have prevented the departure of Miss Cisneros from Cuba had it not been for a little refreshment which was served on them by friends of Miss Cisneros who were aboard the Seneca.

Are Refreshments Usually Served? The refreshment included wine. The chief of police of Havana came aboard while the refreshment part of the plot was in progress, and it is alleged that he, too, fell a victim of the wiles of the Cisneros faction. A few minutes before the Seneca was ready to pull out from her dock a slim young fellow came running across the wharf. He had no baggage and was fashionably dressed. He walked quickly up the gang-plank. The detectives stopped him. "My name is Juan Sola," he said, and he showed his passport. Everything was satisfactory, so the senior was allowed to go aboard. It is said that if it had not been for the wine the strange treble and rather curious figure of Senor Sola might have excited the suspicions of the Spanish detectives. But the scheme worked successfully.

WHY WAS THE CAPTAIN WROTH?

Seems No Reason Therefore—Police Not Searching Very Closely.

Miss Cisneros' friends, when they saw that everything was satisfactory, disembarked and watched the ship pull slowly out under the frowning Spanish guns, carrying the fugitive to safety under the stars and stripes. Miss Cisneros did not court danger any more than was necessary, and at once went to her cabin. The next day, however, when Moro Castle was left far behind, she appeared on deck transformed into Senorita Juana Sola, alias Cosío y Cisneros, and dressed in a becoming red gown. Captain Stevens, commander of the Seneca, was angry when he discussed the Cisneros incident with the reporters. "Since the commencement of the present insurrection it has been the custom of the Spanish authorities to post a couple of detectives at the head of the gangway of ships lying at Havana. We arrived at 6 p. m. on Saturday and left at 8 p. m., during which time the detectives did not leave the head of the gang-plank.

"Just before the Seneca sailed the chief of police, his deputy and his secretary came aboard. Senorita Cisneros had escaped two days previously and yet they asked no questions and made no search for her, although upon three former occasions they had searched the Seneca from stem to stern and keel to promenade deck while looking for suspects." Captain Stevens said that to the best of his knowledge the only persons who went aboard at Havana were the Lastie family, the Del Real family, eight Chinamen, and a man whose name appeared upon the advance passenger list as Juan Sola, and who must have had a passport; otherwise he could not have gone aboard. When it was discovered that "Juan Sola" was a girl, the "Juan" was changed to "Juana," and Miss Cisneros came in under that name.

Miss Cisneros was given some articles of female wearing apparel by the stewardess of the Seneca. Mr. Stewart, an Englishman who embarked at Tampico, and who understands Spanish, said that he sat opposite Miss Cisneros at the table during the voyage, and when she saw the Cape Hatteras light she fell upon her knees on the deck and prayed devoutly. Stewart found the rescued Cuban a most pleasant companion. She had her hair pinned in a coil, wore under a sombrero when she embarked disguised as a ranchman.

Call That Cosío Won't Hear.

Havana, Oct. 14.—Yesterday's Official Gazette publishes an edict signed by the military judge calling upon Evangelina Cosío y Cisneros to present herself for a term of fifteen days in jail, and ordering all civil and military authorities to endeavor to apprehend her and if captured to send her to Havana jail.

Campbellite Gathering at Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Oct. 14.—The annual convention of the three allied Christian (Campbellite) organizations, the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, the Foreign Christian Missionary Society and the Christian Church, is in session here.

GOVERNOR'S WIFE AND DAUGHTER WIFE

Glenville, W. Va., Oct. 14.—The jury in the famous case of Mrs. Governor Atkinson, on trial for forging her former husband's name, disagreed yesterday and was discharged by the court. The jury stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction. It is not believed that the case will be tried again. The arguments and Judge's charge were completed at 11 o'clock Tuesday night. Mrs. Atkinson had been on the stand ten hours. Her testimony was a general denial of all the allegations charged in the indictments. She did not waver from the statement on cross-examination that all the receipts in controversy given to Owens were written at the dictation of Judge Camden in his lifetime, and that they represented what they show upon their face.

She insisted that all the other papers and transactions relied upon by the state to show criminal intention were genuine and instituted at the dictation of Judge Camden. She denied that she had any interest whatever in the Owens land, or that Owens had at any time paid her money or any other thing of value. The cross-examination was conducted by Robert G. Linn for the state, and was very rigid. Mrs. Atkinson's demeanor upon the witness stand was modest and unassuming. She made a favorable impression.

MINE WANTS A DIFFERENTIAL.

Result Being That Another Illinois Coal Strike Is Probable.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 14.—Some 300 miners went to the Springfield Junction mine yesterday, headed by District President Cartwright, of the Miners' union, because the operators at that shaft were selling coal to small consumers at 6 cents per bushel, 2 cents less than the pool price of the Springfield operators. Operators Robert D. Loose and Charles Price refused to increase the price unless the operators would pay them \$300 per month royalty, they being at a disadvantage in selling coal by their mine being farther from the city than other mines.

The delegation then saw the miners working at the shaft and the latter agreed to go out in case their employers did not raise the price of coal to 8 cents per bushel. The Springfield Junction company is paying the miners' union scale. The sheriff and deputies were present in case there should be any trouble.

"NIGGER" IS LEARNING TO SHOT.

Tennessee Whitecaps Meet Their Deserts in One Enterprise.

Milan, Tenn., Oct. 14.—Lavina, Carroll county, was the battleground Tuesday night for warring factions, and one dead and probably four fatally wounded is the result. A large party of whitecaps went to the home of Dot Price, a negro, and riddled the doors and windows of his cabin with bullets. The negro through a window fired repeatedly into the gang, and groans and yells testified to his deadly aim.

The morning sun disclosed William Sires lying dead in a pool of blood, surrounded by four of his companions very badly wounded. The bodies were soon spirited away, but it is learned that three of the wounded men will die. Intense excitement prevails and a race war is predicted, as the whitecaps are swearing vengeance on the negroes, who defiantly dare them to do their worst.

Taggart Elected by a Majority.

Indianapolis, Oct. 14.—The official and unofficial returns of Tuesday's election show the vote for mayor to be: Taggart (Dem.), 20,185; Harding (Rep.), 16,180; Taggart's plurality over Harding, 4,008. The probabilities are that the majority may be increased. Taggart's majority over all is at this writing 2,955, there being six mayoralty candidates. The remainder of the Democratic ticket is also elected, though by a somewhat smaller majority than that received by Taggart. The council will also be Democratic by a large majority.

Luetgert's Lawyer Now Talking.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—The entire day in the Luetgert trial was taken up by Attorney Phalen, who spoke for the defense. He made an impassioned plea for his client. At the beginning of the session the state objected to the presence of Luetgert's children at his side and the court not only ordered their removal, but upon objection by the defense declared that the purpose of having the children there was to influence the jury. An exception to this remark was taken. Phalen was still speaking at adjournment yesterday.

Will Fight the Glucose Trust.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—New York and Chicago capitalists have organized the Imperial Glucose and Sugar Refining company, with a capital of \$5,000,000, to compete with the glucose trust. A large plant will be erected at South Chicago and be ready for operation within ten months. It will have a capacity of 30,000 bushels a day, and give employment to 500 men. George W. Lamb, of Chicago, is the head of the new enterprise.

Green Glass Ware Men in Session.

Indianapolis, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the Western Green Glass Bottle Manufacturers' association held here yesterday an advance of prices along the whole line was strongly advocated by many. It was finally decided to defer such action until a later meeting. A movement was made in the direction of curtailing production by the stoppage of all factories during the months of May and June.

Package Containing \$14,000 Lost.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Somewhere between Omaha and Denver a package containing \$14,000 has been lost. The money was sent by registered package by a bank in Chicago to a financial institution in the west. Inspector Stuart, of the postoffice, and his men have been hard at work on the case for several days, but can trace the money westward from Chicago only as far as Omaha.

Hood's Pills

Best to take after dinner; prevent distress, aid digestion, cure constipation. Family remedy; do not give to small children. Sold by all druggists. 25¢ per box. Hood's Pills, Lowell, Mass.

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COLLEGE FACULTY.

The New Members Were Welcomed Last Evening by a Gathering of Citizens.

THE EDUCATORS ENTERTAINED.

The Seniors Spring an Agreeable Surprise Upon the Faculty and President Edgumbe.

A large number of the representative people of this city and St. Joseph gathered at Benton Harbor college last evening to welcome the new members of the college faculty.

More changes were made in the faculty this year than has occurred in many years and among the new instructors were many strangers. There are so strangers among them now for Benton Harbor folk know how to make the stranger feel at home, and they expressed that gift last evening.

The new members of the corps of instructors are: Miss Mericle, the elocutionist; Miss Collins, the piano instructor; Miss Mack, art; Miss Belle Bailey, English; Miss Brown, Latin; and Graff Clark, teacher of violin. After the educators had received their guests a short program of unusual merit was rendered. Miss Collins played a classic selection on the piano and as always her fine expression and faultless rendition brought forth unstinted praise. Graff Clark, the new teacher on the violin, a pupil of Eugen Boegner appeared for the first time before a Benton Harbor audience. If he is permanently retained at the college the music department will be strengthened and made more popular than ever at present.

Miss Mericle, the instructor in elocution, gave a pathetic reading, and her voice, her expression, her grace and gestures fairly captivated every listener. Twice she responded to an encore, and every time she was greeted with increased expression of approval. The program closed with a solo by Mrs. Webb, the vocal instructor of the college, who is always a favorite.

Dr. Edgumbe, the president of the college, at the close of the program announced that the seniors had prepared a surprise on the faculty and on himself and that he understood that refreshments were waiting in the basement. The refreshments consisted of coffee and cake. This is the second surprise the seniors have carried out in less than a year. Last spring, while yet juniors, they surprised Dr. Edgumbe by piping the college hall for gas on the occasion of the rendition of "Fanchon, the Cricket."

On exhibition throughout the evening was the work in the kindergarten department and in the art room was a collection of china that attracted much notice. The china painting was done principally by Miss Mack, the instructor, and Mrs. J. K. Scherer, who graduated from the art department last year.

Dr. Edgumbe received many congratulations on the new talent added to the college faculty.

WITHOUT DELAY.

J. Sherlock Allen Will Begin Improvements at Berrien Springs.

Yesterday J. Sherlock Allen, the owner of the abandoned county buildings at Berrien Springs, stated that he would begin the work of remodeling the court house this morning. He will get that building in shape before starting improvements on any of the others. By next summer when the resort season opens Mr. Allen expects to have all the buildings in condition for use. He will spend a large sum of money in improvements, and very materially increase the taxable property of the village. He will move to Berrien Springs with his mother at once and remain a resident of that place if his expectations regarding his enterprise are realized.

The old buildings cost Mr. Allen \$1,625. The deed for the same was executed last evening the last thing before the board of supervisors adjourned and the money was paid over to the county clerk. The resolution passed by the supervisors, ordering the execution of the deed, describes the property as "lots 255, 256, 257, 258, 299, 500, 301 and 302, being the court house square in the village of Berrien Springs."

The news of the purchase of the property will cause rejoicing in Berrien Springs. The buildings are in a pathetic condition of dilapidation and decay, and are no longer an ornament to or contribute toward the value of property there.

Old papers for sale at this office.

75,000 PEOPLE.

Estimate of the Crowd at the Kalamazoo Fair.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 14.—The street fair drew an immense crowd of people here yesterday. The Telegraph estimates the number of visitors at 75,000, while the News gives a more conservative estimate of 30,000 to 35,000. There was a crowd anyway, and all the visitors appeared to be enjoying it.

This is the way an editorial writer on the Telegraph speaks of the show:

"It is the biggest show Michigan has seen for many years and the originators and promoters ought to be highly satisfied. But today was the big day. Crowds! Well it is almost impossible to navigate about town. It seems as if all Michigan had come to Kalamazoo! The tight rope performer and the snake charmer; the plantation singers and the skeleton woman were all in evidence. The world's fair of Chicago wasn't in it. The centennial at Philadelphia is not to be mentioned. The Paris exposition of 1900 will have to hustle. The year 1897 and the month of October in that year will always be memorable in Michigan history—it was the year and the month of the great Kalamazoo street fair."

INDUSTRY AT VICKSBURG.

Several Men Employed in Gathering Michigan Moss.

The moss harvesting industry of the Vicksburg Nursery company at Portage, is booming, says the Vicksburg Commercial. The camp comprises two sleeping tents, cook and dining tents, and a horse shed. It is on sloping ground, affording fine drainage, and a good drive well furnishes an abundant supply of pure water. The force of men comprises eighteen, and a car load of fine packing moss is gathered and shipped daily.

The moss is gathered by picking it with a small short handled rake, and piled in rows by pickers. A movable side track in sections runs into the marsh, at one end of which is a wooden turntable, from which runs tracks further out into the marsh between two rows of moss. Cars are run on the tracks, drawn by a horse which wears wooden shoes.

From \$100 to \$150 per week is paid out in wages, and they expect to harvest from twenty-five to fifty car loads this year. The work comes between harvesting and fall work, and is a great help to the laborer, who gets \$1.12 per day for ten hours.

The moss is used for packing fruit trees and other nursery stock, and mostly goes to Ohio, Indiana and Illinois nurseriesmen, who say this is the finest and best quality of moss they can find. This industry has grown to considerable proportions and shows what hustle and push can do. The best moss grows on land that is practically worthless for any other purpose, so the money received from the moss is "like a draft from home," and is all clear gain to the landlord and "moss magnate."

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Governor Pingree has appointed Charles Kelsey judge of probate of Marquette county.

The new railroad from Van Buren to Kalkaska and Grayling will open up a

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At Paw Paw over 10,000 people attended the last day of the street fair.

In Port Huron over 200 ladies have signed agreements to take off their hats in public gatherings.

TRIAL BEGINS TODAY.

Evidence Being Taken in the \$25,000 Damage Suit Against C. W. Teetzel.

IN THE U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

A Large Number of Witnesses from This City Will Testify in the Celebrated Case.

The action for \$25,000 damage brought by Mrs. Tabitha Burgett, of Cleveland, O., against Charles W. Teetzel of this city for injuries alleged to have been caused by an attack from Mr. Teetzel's large Newfoundland dog a year ago, went to trial in the United States circuit court at Grand Rapids today.

It was expected that the case would not go on until October 18, but a message by wire from the clerk last night advised Gore & Harvey, attorneys for the defendant, that the trial of the case would begin today. Mr. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Teetzel and some of the defendants' witnesses left for Grand Rapids last night and the rest of the witnesses followed this morning. The witnesses for the defense are: A. I. George B. and P. S. Carley, Dr. B. G. Watson, Mrs. C. W. Teetzel and Curtis O. Alerton.

The plaintiff, it is expected, will attempt to show that the dog, a large, ungainly pup, ferociously rushed upon her and knocked her to the ground, fracturing her hip. There is no question of Mrs. Burgett having been injured—of her hip having been fractured. Her injuries confined her to a bed in Mr. Teetzel's home for several weeks, but the defendant claims that when the plaintiff fell she was playing with the dog; that she had invited him to follow her and with a small stick, which she carried, was teasing him. Playfully the dog leaped upon her, throwing her to the ground.

Mrs. Burgett was boarding in the Teetzel family when the misfortune occurred. She and the dog had been great friends, it is alleged, and were always together. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Geer and Miss Mabel Geer, of this city are among the witnesses for the plaintiff.

Late this morning Attorney Harvey was advised by wire to hold the defendant's witnesses until otherwise notified, indicating that all is not in readiness for the hearing. Those of the plaintiff's witnesses subpoenaed this morning were instructed to appear in Grand Rapids October 19.

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THREE NEW FACTORIES.

Buchanan Rapidly Finding the Coveted Prosperity.

BUCHANAN, Oct. 14.—Arrangements have been completed for removing the Columbia Manufacturing company, manufacturers of show cases, grill work and wood novelties, from Chicago to this place. It expects to employ 50 men. This makes three good factories secured to Buchanan within six months. There are no vacant business places and but few vacant houses in town.

CURED OF SCROFULA.

ALLEGAN, Mich., Sept. 3.—For the benefit of suffering humanity I wish to state that for seven years I was a great sufferer from scrofula and blood trouble, having a very bad limb all of those years. My limb was a raw sore from the knee to the ankle, and it had been impossible to find relief or help. My health was very poor from the condition of my blood. After all of these years of suffering I became discouraged and had about given up being any better.

I was advised to call on Drs. B. S. & Co., when at Allegan. They told me they could help me. I believed they knew their business and commenced treatment at that time. This was in 1893. I began to improve at once and continued to improve until my limb was well and my health was good, and I have remained well and I feel that I cannot thank Drs. B. S. & Co. enough for what they have done for me. After seven years with other skillful doctors and to get no better I feel that I must state their praises. I am in hopes that all sick and afflicted will see Drs. B. S. & Co. before it is too late. They are all right and gentlemen of honor.

Mrs. LIZZIE SCHINTZ.

Drs. B. S. & Co. will be at Hotel Benton Wednesday, Oct. 20.

Hunters' Rates.

The Vandalia line will sell hunters tickets good for thirty days at very low rates to points in Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Mississippi. For rates and full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

\$10.00 to Nashville and Return.

October 6 the Vandalia line will sell tickets from St. Joseph to Nashville, Tenn., and return for \$10.00, amount payable in cash.

Heating Stoves...

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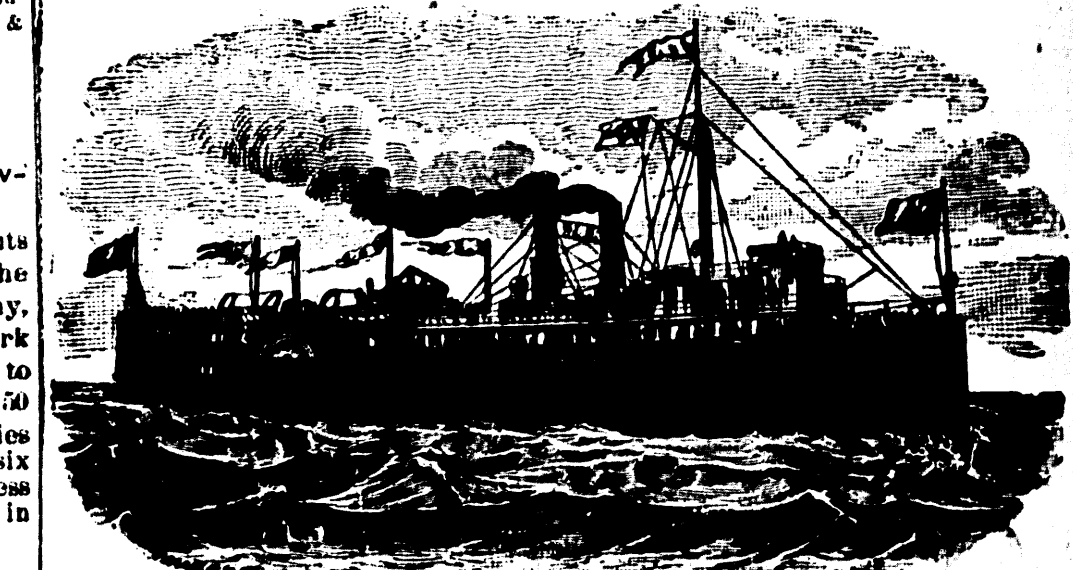
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THURSDAY, OCT. 14, 1897.

THE South Bend Tribune calls Indiana people "Indianians." Why not just say "Indians" and be done with it.

USUALLY after a man is elected to office he begins to think himself the "whole thing." Henry George has begun a similar classification of himself a month before election time.

It would be a good idea for the supervisors to start an investigation and see how many other bills of the St. Joseph Press against the county have been paid twice. The St. Joseph paper gets four times the value of its work in this way. The original bills are usually double the charge that would be made by any first-class printing house for better work.

THE spectacular drama, "The Story of Old Glory," to be given this evening is the first time that Benton Harbor people have been privileged to attend a home production produced by home talent. Rev. George A. Sahlin is the author of the drama and the composer of the music and every character is represented by local talent. The opportunity ought to be largely improved.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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NEW ORLEANS REPORTS AN INCREASE OF YELLOW FEVER.

New Orleans Reports an Increase of Yellow Cases of Fever.

New Orleans, Oct. 14.—Yesterday's official yellow fever report was as follows: New cases, 31; deaths, 9; total cases to date, 685; total deaths to date, 77; total cases absolutely recovered, 305 total cases under treatment, 303. The number of deaths was greater yesterday than on any other day during this epidemic of yellow fever. It is difficult to find the cause, except in the fact that concealment, neglect and rebellion against the authority of the board of health have made it difficult for the physicians to give proper attention to cases. Heretofore the highest number of deaths in any one day has been six. At the board of health there was some discussion among the gathered physicians as to whether the disease had assumed suddenly a more virulent form or whether an aggregation of circumstances had sent up the list of deaths. Prominent doctors say they do not believe the disease has become more malignant in type.

Elsewhere the fever is not making rapid progress. In Texas no town reports any new cases. Mobile has 13 new cases and no deaths; Biloxi, 17 new cases, no deaths; Scranton, 9 new cases, 1 death; McHenry, 1 case and 1 death; Edwards, Miss., 7 cases and 1 death.

R. C. Settles, superintendent of the Wagar Lumber company at Wagar, Ala., died there Tuesday night of yellow fever. One new case has developed. Settles was from Ohio and had been south some time. Recently he and his wife paid a visit to their home, but he returned alone when the yellow fever was announced in the south, leaving his wife behind him.

Little Joker's Joke Was Disastrous.

Springfield, Ills., Oct. 14.—The horse called Little Joker who won the 2:30 pace at the fair here on Thursday, Sept. 30, and who was protested against receiving first money by C. A. Wilson, driver of The Bishop, who finished second, as being not eligible to the 2:30 class and started under an assumed name, was identified at Grayville, Ills., last week as Tar Tartar, and was expelled by the American Trotting association, together with his owner and driver, Norman T. Black, who went under the name of H. N. Phillips while racing here and who claimed his home as Muncie, Ind. Tar Tartar was the horse the race officers supported Little Joker was.

Meeting of the Railway Unions.

Peoria, Ills., Oct. 14.—The federation matter was considered informally yesterday by the representatives of the railroad brotherhoods in the absence of Grand Chief Arthur, of the engineers' brotherhood. He arrived yesterday afternoon, and the federation conference at once adjourned until today, as the chiefs of the five brotherhoods desired to consider legislative matters. It was decided that W. F. Hynes, of Denver, grand trustee of the firemen, should be located in Washington during the session of congress to represent the railroad men and watch all legislation affecting their interests.

Notice.

Good work horses for sale cheap at Herring Bros' livery and sale stable, St. Joseph. 628t12

F. H. Frazell, who has been running a barber shop on Sixth street and recently sold out to John Blaser of Chicago, has opened one in the Shornhorst building on Territorial street and will be pleased to see his old customers. 629t6

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THE EVENING NEWS

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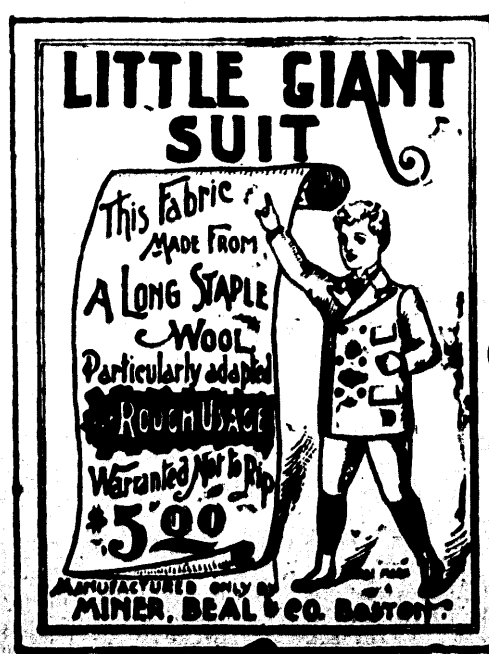
75 Men's Overcoats Sizes 33 to 36 in., winter weights, all wool Worsteds, Freizes, Kerseys, Beavers and Cheviots, worth \$7.50 to \$15 each, now \$5.00

100 Duck Coats Heavy woolen lined, riveted buttons, stayed seams, extra heavy worth \$1.25, now 85c

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DEFICIT IN THE SUPPLY SHOWN.

But a Contraction in the Consumption Suggested. Owing to Increased Prices of Wheat and Rye—Russian International Lawyer Selected as the Umpire in the Venezuela Boundary Dispute—Indication That Justice Field Is to Retire.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The monthly report of the agricultural department on the European crop situation, summarizing the reports of European correspondents, was made public yesterday. Following is an abstract: Recent information, while it may in some cases modify the crop estimates for particular countries, does not essentially change the situation as regards the deficiency in the principal cereal crops of Europe. The outlook for wheat in the Australian colonies continues good, but the prospects in Argentina are somewhat less bright, owing to drought and frosts. Accounts from India are quite favorable, both as to the Kharif crops, harvested, or to be harvested this fall, and as to the seedling of the Rabi crop, to be harvested next spring, which latter includes the wheat crop.

World's Entire Wheat and Rye Crops. The annual estimate of the world's wheat and rye crops issued by the Hungarian ministry of agriculture, gives the following revised results for 1897, compared with 1896: Wheat production, importing countries, 800,771,000 for 1897; 886,639,000 for 1896. Exporting countries, 1897, 1,341,896,000; 1896, 1,452,902,000. Total wheat production of both importing and exporting countries in 1897, 2,142,667,000; in 1896, 2,339,541,000; net deficit, 1897, 202,895,000; 1896, 130,534,000. The world's rye crop is put down by the same authority as follows: 1897, 1,163,457,000; 1896, 1,203,185,000. These figures are all in bushels. Against the net deficit of approximately 203,000,000 bushels of wheat estimated by the ministry it estimates that there is a residue of from 145,000,000 to 170,000,000 bushels out of the former crops, leaving in round numbers from 58,000,000,000 down to 33,000,000 bushels as the quantity by which it would be necessary to curtail consumption if these estimates should prove to be correct.

Many People Will Go Hungry. It is, of course, quite likely that under the influence of high prices consumption will be curtailed by more than this amount, and that existing stocks will not be reduced too near to the point of complete exhaustion. Extremely pessimistic reports as to the extent of the crop failure in Russia have been circulated, but the liberal quantities coming forward for shipment have led dealers to receive such reports with incredulity. It is probable, however, that much of the Russian grain going to western European markets is out of the more liberal harvests of former years, and there is evidence tending to show that the crop of 1897 is at any rate considerably below the average.

Europe Is Short of Barley, Also. The markets of Europe will apparently be very inadequately supplied with good clear barley suitable for malting purposes, complaints on this score being common among growers in large parts of Germany, Austria-Hungary and other countries, including the province of Ontario in Canada, in which such barley is usually an important product. The European potato crop is apparently a short one, and the fruit crop also is deficient. Consul Eugene Germain, of Zurich, Switzerland, after an investigation of the European fruit prospect, expresses the opinion that there will be a good market for American apples and dried fruit this season, if growers will be careful to put up choice stock only.

ARBITRATOR COMES FROM RUSSIA.

Man Who Will Decide Disputed Points for Venezuela and Britain.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The international court of arbitration which is to pass on the British-Venezuela boundary has been completed by the selection of M. Maertens, a distinguished Russian jurist, as umpire, and arrangements are being made for the assembling of the court at Paris during the late summer or fall of next year. In the meantime the briefs of Great Britain and of Venezuela are being prepared, but none of the papers have yet been submitted. M. Maertens will act not only as umpire but also as president of the board. The announcement that a European umpire had been chosen was made some time since, but the name had been withheld until the sanction of the czar could be secured for M. Maertens' service as arbitrator.

Great Britain and Venezuela each submitted a list of distinguished jurists who would be acceptable to it as umpires. These embraced the most noted men of Europe, but it is a tribute to M. Maertens that his was the only one on the lists of both countries. M. Maertens' reputation as an authority on international law is world-wide, and has led to his frequent selection as arbitrator and umpire in international differences. He is an official of the Russian foreign office, professor of international law at the University of St. Petersburg, and author of Maertens' Treaties, the standard book of reference on all the treaties of the world. Little doubt is felt as to his acceptance.

Talk of Justice Field's Retirement.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The belief that Justice Field is seriously contemplating early retirement from the supreme court bench was strengthened yesterday by the postponement of several more important cases until the first Monday in January. The postponement in one case was made upon the statement that it involved a constitutional question rendering it desirable that it should be considered by a full bench. The chief justice makes no direct reference to the probable change in the court's personnel, but his manner and the fact that he insists upon the postponement of important cases leaves little room for doubt that he is of opinion that there will be a change.

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CORN HUSKING TIME

(Continued from page 6.)
the mirror that the robber's face had gone from the window and it did not come back. A few days after the prima donna received a letter from the robber, saying, "I heard that the jewels were to be out that night and I came to take them at what ever hazard, but when I heard you sing that nursery song with which my mother so often sang me to sleep, I could not stand it and I fled, and I have resolved upon a new and an honest life."
Oh, my friends, there are jewels in peril richer than those which lay upon that table that night. They are the jewels of the immortal soul. Would God that some song rolling up out of the deserted nursery of your childhood or some song rolling up out of the cornfields, the song of the huskers 20 or 40 years ago, might turn all our feet out of the paths of sin into the paths of righteousness. Would God that those memories wafted in on odor or song might start us this moment with swift feet toward that blessed place where so many of our loved ones have already preceded us, "as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

TO THE PUBLIC.

As a stranger soliciting a share of your patronage it is but just to you and to myself that I make some mention of my fitness for the work I would undertake. I come from a medical family, my father, brother and many relatives being physicians. I have attended and hold credentials from leading homoeopathic and allopathic medical colleges. For eighteen years I have successfully conducted a large practice. I have held high office in State and National medical societies, and received honorary professional recognition from abroad. I have had considerable hospital experience, am something of a medical writer and author, and have been professor in reputable medical colleges.
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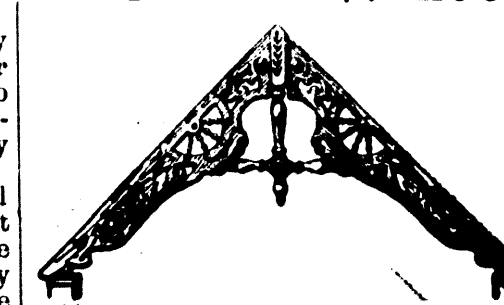
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8:20 a. m.		8:20 p. m.
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DETROIT, GR. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.
Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. For St. Louis at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.
GEO. DENAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
JAS. MANONEY, Asst., Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.
No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. for St. Louis. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 22, 8:50 a. m. No. 24, 8:10 p. m. No. 26, 8:40 p. m.

VANDALIA LINE.

South bound.	No. 3	Stations	North bound.	No. 4
5:15 p. m.	4:45 a. m.	St. Joseph	2:15 p. m.	9:15 a. m.
5:45 p. m.	5:15 a. m.	Harold	1:45 p. m.	8:45 a. m.
6:15 p. m.	5:45 a. m.	Gallen	1:15 p. m.	8:15 a. m.
6:45 p. m.	6:15 a. m.	South Bend	12:53 p. m.	7:53 a. m.
7:15 p. m.	6:45 a. m.	Logansport	12:30 p. m.	7:30 a. m.
7:45 p. m.	7:15 a. m.	Indianapolis	12:00 p. m.	7:00 a. m.
8:15 p. m.	7:45 a. m.	Terre Haute	11:30 a. m.	6:30 a. m.
8:45 p. m.	8:15 a. m.		11:00 a. m.	6:00 a. m.

All trains daily except Sunday.

For complete time card giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates through cars, etc., address
FRANK R. HALL, Agent St. Joseph, Mich. E. A. FORD, Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE.
Effective Monday, October 4, 1897.

Going South	No. 1	Stations	Going North	No. 2
4:30 p. m.	4:00 a. m.	St. Joseph	11:10 a. m.	10:40 a. m.
4:40 p. m.	4:10 a. m.	Harold	10:50 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
4:50 p. m.	4:20 a. m.	Gallen	10:40 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
5:00 p. m.	4:30 a. m.	South Bend	10:30 a. m.	10:10 a. m.
5:10 p. m.	4:40 a. m.	Logansport	10:20 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
5:20 p. m.	4:50 a. m.	Indianapolis	10:10 a. m.	9:50 a. m.
5:30 p. m.	5:00 a. m.	Terre Haute	10:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.

Connections—No. 1 with M. C. No. 81, west of St. Joseph, Mo. No. 2 with M. C. No. 81, east of St. Joseph, Mo. No. 3 with M. C. No. 81, west of St. Joseph, Mo. No. 4 with M. C. No. 81, east of St. Joseph, Mo.

BENTON HARBOR WEDDING.

Robert E. Rees and Miss Linda Scott are Married.

Robert E. Rees, of Red Key, Ind., and Miss Linda Scott, of St. Joseph, sister of Mrs. N. A. Hamilton, were married at noon today, at the Universalist parsonage by the Rev. George A. Sahlin. Mr. and Mrs. Rees left at once for Red Key where Mr. Rees is manager of a hotel.

"STORY OF OLD GLORY."

It Will be Presented at Conkey's Tonight.

Rev. George A. Sahlin's new drama, "The Story of Old Glory," will be brought out at Conkey's opera house tonight by amateur players of this city. It is a cleverly written piece, with startling climaxes and pleasingly tinged with romance throughout. Catchy new music, Mr. Sahlin's composition, will be rendered by the city's best talent, and a splendid entertainment is promised.

JUDGE CADY SUED.

An Interesting Law Point to Be Settled.

Some time ago there was a case in Justice Cady's court between Merkle and Hiler. Merkle was compelled to put up security for costs and the money was placed in the hands of the justice. After the case was settled and the costs paid Judge Cady had a balance of \$15 belonging to Merkle. He deposited the money in the First National bank the day before it failed. He told Merkle's attorneys, Hammond & Hammond, of the circumstances and they said their client was in no special hurry for the money. In the meantime Attorney Bridgman heard of the balance coming to Merkle and he got out a garnishee forbidding the justice to pay over the money. A few hours later Hammond & Hammond sued the justice for the money he was previously ordered not to pay.

The suit will probably be interesting. Justice Cady was about to pay one of the members of the Hammond law firm at the time the garnishee papers were served on him. Justice Kimball issued the papers in both cases. In the first he was ordered not to pay Hammond & Hammond and in the second set he was sued to pay money that the court had previously enjoined him from paying.

Chance to Save a Dollar.

Everyone is looking to see where they can save a dollar and be perfectly satisfied. We can help you to do so if you will buy your hats, tips, feathers, ribbons and everything in the millinery line of us. Our stock is all new and complete this fall, our rooms are large and pleasant. Come and see us at Room 4, Jones & Sonner block.

MISSIE BROWN.

EVENING NEWS 25 cents a month.

Unsettled but generally fair weather tonight. Friday showers, cooler in the afternoon.

ST. JOSEPH.

Montgomery Shepard is in Chicago. Horace Hart has purchased the Fletcher building and moved it to a lot at Church and Price streets.

Barnes & Hosbain have begun the construction of their new ice house on the St. Joseph river near the highway bridge.

Charles Christensen is negotiating for land on the St. Joseph river near Petersen's boat house for the purpose of erecting an ice house.

Drake & Wallace are tearing down the old ice house on their premises at the docks and will build in its place a restaurant room where "quick meals" will be served.

Harry Stone's jewelry store was closed the second time yesterday by a constable. He had paid the \$30 judgment on which the store was closed by Constable Sinsabaugh and obtained the key to his place. His store had not been open an hour when Constable Orford swooped down upon and seized the stock to satisfy the holders of chattel mortgages aggregating \$1,300. One of the mortgages, of the sum of \$900, is held by his wife.

AMONG THE CRIMINALS.

George Vosburg, accused of obtaining goods under false pretenses, is having his preliminary hearing before Justice Graves this afternoon. He is alleged to have drawn checks on the Farmers & Merchants bank without a deposit there, and exchanged the same for fruit and vegetables which he purchased for a Chicago commission house. He had been buying fruit all summer, paying with checks on the above bank and he supposed that his firm had money there when he drew the checks which caused his arrest. The case was continued until October 18.

Elton Lane, 18 years old, charged with an unnatural crime, was arrested yesterday at Stevensville, his home, by Sheriff Ferguson, and entered into a recognizance of \$500 to appear next Monday before Justice Baldrey for preliminary hearing.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

Probate Court.

Petition filed for the appointment of George L. Faurate as administrator of the estate of Bertha Redding, deceased. George L. Faurate appointed special administrator of the estate of Bertha Redding, deceased.

Coal and Wood

..E. E. GODFREY..

OFFICES AND YARD

Across Canal, opposite Graham & Morton Dock.

We will send to any address by mail a set of six cut-out dolls and six extra dresses on receipt of four cents in stamps. These dolls illustrate the use and value of Diamond Dyes in coloring anything, from silks and ribbons to a heavy cloak or gown. Diamond Dyes come in all colors and should not be confused with the cheap dyes coming in only a few colors, that some dealers try to sell for the sake of extra profit. Write us at once for the dolls before they are all gone—WELLS, RICHARDSON & Co., Burlington, Vt.

DEFENDED DANCING.

President of Alma College Stirs Up Presbyterians.

BAY CITY, Oct. 14.—The special committee on the relations of Alma College and Michigan Female seminary, made a flattering report today. Rev. Davis, president of the seminary, spoke for some time on dancing. He said though there were objections to the young ladies dancing in the seminary, he saw no harm, as they danced by themselves. Mr. Davis stirred up a lively debate in the Michigan Presbyterian synod.

Rounds, Warner & Co. BANKERS.

Buy and Sell Exchange—Discount Approved Paper—Sell Foreign Passage Tickets—Receive Deposits—Interest paid on Time Deposits

Carnival Excursion

To Grand Rapids At Special Low Rates.

There will be a hot time in the old town during the last week of October, and to make it easy for everybody to enjoy the Carnival attractions and do a little business too, the C. & W. M. railway will run excursions from various points at very low rates. The day fixed upon the excursion from Benton Harbor is October 26. Train will leave at 8:25 a. m. and arrive at Grand Rapids at 12 noon. Leave returning at 6:00 p. m. and 11 p. m. Round trip rate \$1.50. If you wish to stay longer, purchase a ticket at one fare rate good until Saturday, October 30. Great attractions day and night all the week. Late trains returning will enable all to see the festivities at night and reach home by daylight. Sleep on the cars and have no expense for lodging. GEO. DE HAVEN, G. P. A.

Blacksmiths' Shop.

"I lived in a blacksmith's workshop which was not even a possession, on the line between New York state and Pennsylvania," said a story teller to a Sioux City Journal reporter. "Of course, there was a blacksmith shop there. In those days the blacksmith's trade was a notoriously good one. All the blacksmiths got rich with their horse, mule and ox shoeing, and the wagon and the other repair work which they did. Most of the blacksmiths combined with their other work wagon repairing and even wagon making. There were very few big wagon factories in those days, and a good hand made wagon cost big money. When they were doing nothing else, they would make wagons, and when there was lots of transient work the wagons had to wait. This state line shop was a busy place. There was no tavern there, but the blacksmith also had a cider press, and he made the cider for all the farmers for miles around. But neither this nor the profits of his shop could account for the rapid way in which he accumulated wealth. As is well known, apple cider, if allowed to stand long enough, will become 'hard,' and after that it will turn into vinegar."

"This cider dealer always had plenty of hard cider on hand, but never had any vinegar for sale. The farmers and others who stopped at his place could always get a drink of hard cider, which they took out of a tin dipper at 10 cents a drink, and the size of the drink was something which attracted very little attention. Hardly any kind of beverage is more intoxicating than hard cider. It is a good deal like champagne in one respect. You can drink a great deal of it one day, and the next day you will be awfully sick and sorry, and a good deal drunker than when you went to bed. The blacksmith required no license to sell hard cider, and he worked the game to the limit. His place became very popular, and the farmers came from many miles around in both states to get their horses shod at his place. Many of them would come home drunk, and their wives began to protest. They always had to have some excuse for having visited the state line shop, and so the blacksmith, after supplying them with a few dipperfuls of hard cider, would take the shoes off their beasts and put on new ones, whether they needed it or not. For this service he would charge a good round price, while in many instances it was noticed he made no charge for the cider."

"But, as is the way of all flesh, this blacksmith died one day, and then his business secrets came out. He left an estate of over \$80,000, and in the cellar of the cider press a great number of empty whisky barrels were found. For years he had been putting whisky into his cider and had been setting new shoes on nearly every horse which came along, willy nilly."—Washington Star.

The very best thing you can do.

Try one of Our Congressman's cigars 5 cents.

Grape vinegar is the best for pickles and preserves. You can get it at Rowe's.

One Way Settlers' Rates.

On the first and third Tuesday of each month the Vandalia line will sell one-way tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For rates and full information call or address FRANK R. HALE, agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

Be sure and ask your grocer for Robinson's elder vinegar, it is pure.

Revised List of Big Four Rates.

To Indianapolis, Ind. Tickets on sale October 13, 14 and 18. Good to return October 23 at \$5.30 for the round trip.

Hunters' tickets, season—1897. Tickets on sale to southern, southwestern and northwestern points at greatly reduced rates.

Home Seekers' tickets.—Tickets on sale October 19, November 2 and 16, December 7 and 21 or the day preceding, to home seekers, points at one fare for the round trip plus \$2.

One way settlers' rates: Tickets on sale October 19 to southern and southeastern points at greatly reduced rates. L. G. SMITH, Agent.

Mrs. L. M. Fitch, hair emporium. Combing made up in all the latest styles. Frizzes, puffs and switches. Parlors 7 Sweet block.

THE long winter evenings will soon be here and everybody will want a bright and entertaining newspaper. This want is fully met by the Chicago Chronicle.

Cistern Cleaning.

William Seel has been doing some good cleaning cisterns and has recommends from Rev. George A. Sahlin, Mayor Bell and George B. Thayer. Every one who patronizes him recommends his work. Call at 197 Rildford street. 62169

Columbia cigars 5 cents.

Apples Wanted.

The Robinson Cider & Vinegar company is ready for its annual grind of apples and will pay good prices for apples delivered at its mill on West Main street. It can use an unlimited amount of apples and is desirous that the fruit growers begin hauling at once. THE ROBINSON CIDER & VINEGAR CO. 60214

A large stock of portrait frames in new and elegant designs at Judson E. Rice's, 156 Pipestone.

BANK NOTICE.

Treasury Department. Office of the Comptroller of the Currency. Washington, D. C., September 21, 1897. Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The First National Bank of Benton Harbor, Michigan," that the same must be presented to Daniel B. Ainger, receiver with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed. GEORGE M. COFFIN, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

..Everybody Wants a Chance..

At some of the Bargains being offered from the Sweet stock of Dry Goods and Groceries. Goods bought at 60c on the dollar can be furnished to the consumer at prices that cannot be matched by dealers who have bought in the regular way. We are going to reduce the stock at all hazards and can quote only a few of the BARGAINS NOW AT YOUR DISPOSAL.

Colored silk, short lengths for waists, trimmings, etc., old prices 75c to \$1.00, now your choice from 50 pieces at 48c yd
All wool novelty dress flannels, 40 inch, Sweet's price 60c, now going at 39c yd
A lot of fancy colored Scotch plaid dress goods at 5c and 9c yd for children's dresses.
Black and colored dress goods galore, and the prices will never be lower.
Brocade velvets for trimmings, etc., old price \$1 yd, cut to 48c
A ladies' all wool cashmere hose, all sizes, at 19c, good quality.

1000 yds heavy outing flannels, Sweet's price 10 and 12c, take what you want at 7c yd
New style novelty prints, standard quality, at 3 1/2c yd.
Heavy brown muslin, worth at wholesale today 5c yd, a limited quantity while it lasts at 4c yd
Ladies' gents' and children's underwear at prices that have never been matched in this city. No need to go cold this winter.
A lot of books, stationery, pens, pencils, ink, etc., to close out at your own price. A chance for the school children.
Men's good working shirts, 20c,

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

A lot of Rio and Santos coffee worth 20c now going at 11c lb.
Good quality Oolong tea at 20c lb.
Rocket baking powder at 8c lb.
Pure leaf lard, 3 pound pails for 20c
New beans at 4c qt.
Fairbank's Gold Dust at 16c pkg.
Fairbank's "Michigan family soap" equal to any soap made "Santa Claus" not excepted 10 bars for 25c

TOBACCOS to be all closed out at cut rates, for instance:
Havana cigar clippings sold at 15c now 9c
Plover Boys going at 4c pkg.
Peerless going at 6c pkg.
Sun Cured going at 6c pkg.
Hand made going at 7c pkg.
Dukes mixture going at 3c pkg.
Briar Pipe going at 15c a lb.
Biggest and best plug going at 7c a cut.

..If you Want any of Our Bargains do not Delay..

E. W. MOORE

SUCCESSOR TO C. C. SWEET

131 to 137 Pipestone St.

"SWEET'S DEPARTMENT STORE"